

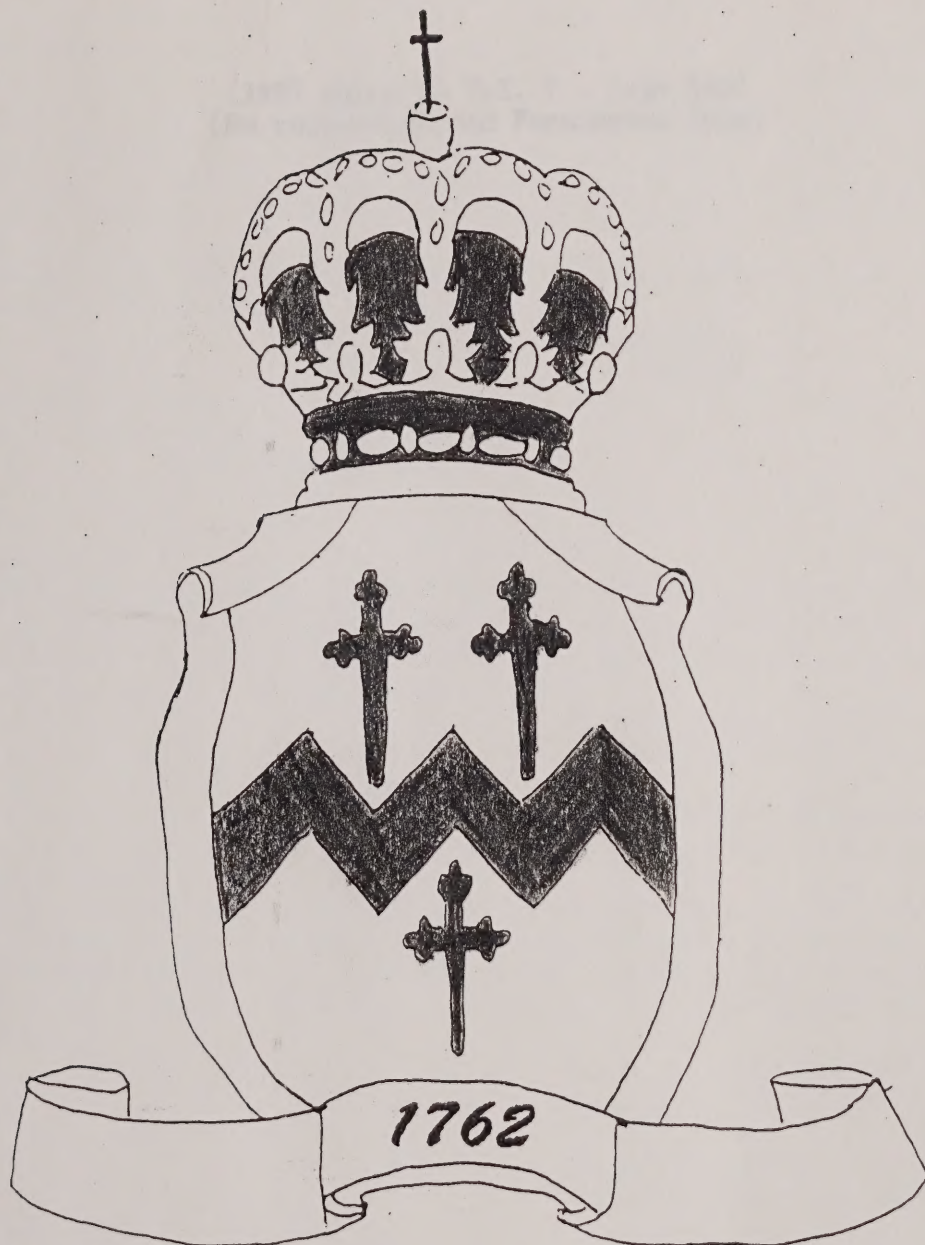








*Town of*



*Sandisfield*





TOWN OF SANDISFIELD

Volume 8

1913-1941

(1927 entry in Vol. 7 - page 560)  
(Re relocation old Farmington Tpke)







G. H. Grimm & Co - To Howard Spring  
Rec November 22 - 1927 - Recorded November 22dn 1927

No 8/.15/1927 - G H Grimm & Co Rutland Vermont -  
Township Address Sandisfield - Post Office address New Boston  
Please make and ship to me by Freight - At my expense to Chester Ry Station State  
of Massachusetts - Side Storage tank  
- 200 Special Buckets 16 qt \$80.00  
200 Ract Covers - \$21.00  
40 Gallon Settling Can - Send one 50 fallons - \$17.00  
One Hundred and Eighteen Dollars \$118.00

Making Settlement by Mail as follows By May first 1928

With interest on any sum remaining unpaid on the first day of May next and agree to  
make payment and give notes in settlement as above stated. It is mutually under-  
stood by between the parties hereto that the title and ownership of the property  
herein mentioned is and shall remain the property of G.H. Grimm Company, until the  
price mentioned herein - notes or renewed notes Given in settlement thereof are  
fully paid

All agreements contingent upon Strikes Accidents and other causes, beyound our  
Control - Signed Howard Spring - New Boston Mass

W H Campbell  
Marlow N.H.

Attest A True Copy  
Jason Sears  
Town Clerk of Sandisfield

A

December 27 - 1932

We the undersigned Selectmen of the Town of Sandisfield Mass Berkshire County and  
Selectmen of Tolland Hamden County have examined the lines between said towns and  
set up the Monuments and established the lines in accordance with the laws of the  
Commonwealth and provide in such cases

John R Rogers ) Selectmen of  
Harry H Marshall) Tolland

Henry F Dodd) Selectmen of  
Jason Sears ) Sandisfield

December 17 - 1932

We the undersigned Selectmen of the Town of Sandisfield and New Marlborough in the  
County of Berkshire and Commonwealth of Massachusetts and qualified that we this  
day Perambulated the lines between said Towns and set up the monuments and estab-  
lished the lines in accordance with the laws of the Commonwealth made and provides  
in such cases

Henry F Dodd) Selectmen of  
Jason Sears ) Sandisfield

Howard R Sheldon ) Selectmen of  
Harry B Alexander) New Marlboro

December 29th 1932

We the undersigned Selectmen of Sandisfield and Monterey Berkshire County have ex-  
amined the lines between said towns and set up the monuments and established the  
lines in accordance with the laws of the Commonwealth and provide in such cases

Perry Fargo) Selectmen of  
Elery Heath) Monterey

Henry F Dodd ) Selectmen  
Frank E Hawley ) of  
Jason Sears ) Sandisfield







A

December 29 - 1932

We the undersigned Selectmen of Sandisfield and Otis Mass County of Berkshire have examined the lines between said Towns and set up the monuments and established the lines in accordance with the laws of the Commonwealth and provide in such cases

Henry F Dodd ) Selectmen  
Frank E Hawley ) of  
Jason Sears ) Sandisfield Mass

Frank L Bryant ) Selectmen of  
Ralph Miner ) Otis

Sandisfield December 27 - 1932

The Selectmen of Sandisfield and Colebrook Conn have this day Perambulated and run the dividing line between said Towns and have marked the Corner Stones as required by law

Henry F Dodd ) Selectmen  
Frank E Hawley ) of  
Jason Sears ) Sandisfield

Wyllys P Smith ) Selectmen of  
Thomas O'Brien Jr ) Colebrook Conn

B

Commonwealth of Massachusetts Berkshire S.S

To the Constable of the Town of Sandisfield

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town of Sandisfield qualified to vote in Election and Town affairs to meet at the Town Hall on February 13th 1939 at 10 o'clock A M for the following purposes Viz:

To choose a Moderator

To vote by ballot for Town officers and terms thereof as follows

One Town Clerk for the term of One year

One Town Treasurer for the term of One year

Three Selectmen for the term of one year

One Assessor for the term of three years

One Library Trustee for the term of three years

Two Constables for the term of One year

One Auditor for the term of One year

One Tax Collector for the term of One year

Article 1 - To raise and appropriate such sums of Money as may be necessary to pay the expenses of the various Town Departments - General Government - Unclassified - Health Department - Inspection of Animals - Inspection of Slaughters - Repair of Highways - Repair of Bridges - Opening roads in Winter - Support of Schools - Charity - Insurance - Workmens Compensation act - Public Library - Interest - Fires - Contingent fund and for any other purpose that may be necessary

Article 2 - To see if the Town will vote to buy bonds for its bonded officials and to appropriate money for the same

Article 3 - To see if the Town will authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the financial year beginning January first 1939, and to issue a note or notes thereof payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17 Chapter 144 General Laws

Article 4 - To see if the Town will vote to continue the improvement of the



Resolution No. 1 - 1952  
The Board of Directors of the Town of ...  
has the honor to acknowledge the receipt of ...  
and to express its appreciation for the ...  
which has been made available to the ...  
of the Town of ...

Respectfully,  
Mayor ...

Respectfully,  
Mayor ...

The Board of Directors of the Town of ...  
has the honor to acknowledge the receipt of ...  
and to express its appreciation for the ...  
which has been made available to the ...  
of the Town of ...

Respectfully,  
Mayor ...

Respectfully,  
Mayor ...

### Resolution No. 2 - 1952

The Board of Directors of the Town of ...

has the honor to acknowledge the receipt of ...

and to express its appreciation for the ...  
which has been made available to the ...  
of the Town of ...

The Board of Directors of the Town of ...

has the honor to acknowledge the receipt of ...  
and to express its appreciation for the ...  
which has been made available to the ...  
of the Town of ...

Article 1 - The Board of Directors of the Town of ...  
has the honor to acknowledge the receipt of ...  
and to express its appreciation for the ...  
which has been made available to the ...  
of the Town of ...

Article 2 - The Board of Directors of the Town of ...  
has the honor to acknowledge the receipt of ...  
and to express its appreciation for the ...  
which has been made available to the ...  
of the Town of ...

Article 3 - The Board of Directors of the Town of ...  
has the honor to acknowledge the receipt of ...  
and to express its appreciation for the ...  
which has been made available to the ...  
of the Town of ...

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has the honor to acknowledge the receipt of ...  
and to express its appreciation for the ...  
which has been made available to the ...  
of the Town of ...



B

- Montville road and to appropriate money for the same to be used under the provisions of Chap 90
- Art 5- Take a vote on back taxes and raise a sum of money to pay the Collector for the year of 1939
- Art 6- To see if the Town will vote to raise money for the care of Cemeteries
- Art 7- To see if the Town will vote to have the 1938 Dog tax money turned over to the Library -
- Art 8- Take a vote how to use the 1909 Liquor money
- Art 9- To see if the Town will accept the Town Reports
- Art 10- To see if the 1939 Jurymen are accepted as drawn by the Selectmen
- Art 11- To see if the Town will vote to raise \$300.00 to gravel the road by Louis Annetharico in West Street
- Art 12- To vote on other items that may come before said meeting
- Art 13- To see if the Town will vote to raise money to repair the Montville School house
- Art 14- To see if the Town will sell the Clam River Bridge
- Art 15- To see if the Town of Sandisfield will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$500.00 for Dr Henry H Erbe as Town physician, he will act as town physician and agent for Board of health, he will care for all Charity patients, he will make calls in the Town during the day for \$2.00 and at night for \$3.00-

The polls will be open at 10 o'clock a m, and may be closed at 3 o'clock P M, and you are directed to serve this warrant by posting true and attested copies thereof in three public places within the Town of Sandisfield Seven days at least before the time of said meeting hereof fail not and make due returns of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at or least before the time of holding said meeting

Given under our hands at Sandisfield this 28th day of January 1939 -

Henry F Dodd ) Selectmen  
Jason Sears ) of  
Frank E Hawley ) Sandisfield

A true copy attest Charles A Wells  
Constable of Sandisfield

C

Town Meeting was held on February 13 1939

Polls were open at 10 O'clock A M Warrant read by the Town Clerk

Charles J Allan elected Moderator Meeting called to order and the results were as follows

Article 1 - Voted to raise for General Government	\$2200.00
18 yes no 4	
Unclassified voted to raise	\$ 100 00
yes 15 no 0	
Health Department Inspection and Slaughters	\$ 250 00
Yes 16 no 0	
Repairs of Highways Chapter 81 Voted to raise	\$2000 00
Yes 44 no 0	
Repair of Bridges Voted reappropriate balance left	\$ 109 60
over from last year Yes 45 no 0	
Opening Roads in Winter Snow Voted to raise	\$1500 00
Yes 41 no 0	
Welfare Department Voted to raise	\$1000 00
Yes 36 no 0	
Workmens Compensation Act	\$ 800 00
Yes 36 no 0	
Public Library Voted to use the 1938 Dog Tax Money	\$ 300 00
Yes 34 - no )	







C

Interest on Town Notes Voted to raise Yes 27 No 0 \$ 300.00  
 Fires Contingent fund Voted to raise \$ 300 00  
 Yes 28 No 0  
 Support of Schools Voted to raise \$15200 00  
 Yes 25 No 3  
 Bonded officers Voted to raise 55 00

Article 3 - Voted by the Town that the Town Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen by and hereby is authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January first 1939 and to issue a note or notes therefor payable within one year and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17 Chapter 44 General Laws  
 Yes 45 No 0

Article 4 - Voted to raise for the Montville Bridge near Bellows \$2000 00  
 and if any money left after building the Bridge it is to be used on the Montville road under Chapter 90 Road leading to New Marlboro Providing we use the money from County and State for same

Yes 51 No 0

Article 5 - Collection of taxes Money for Collector comes out of General Government Art 5 Struck out

Motion made & sec to strike out art 5

Art 6 Voted to raise for the care of Cemeteries \$ 75 00

Art 7 Dog tax voted it for the library

Art 8 Voted to use the 1939 Liquor money to reduce taxes

Art 9 Voted to accept the town reports

Art 10 Voted to accept the 1939 Jurymen

Art 11 About Gravelling the road by Louie Annecharicos

Struck off but some said it should come out of the Chapter 81 money

Yes 39 No 1

Art 12 Voted to buy flags for Decoration day for the graves of the War Veterans and \$5.00 was raised for same

Tractor argument Voted to investigate

Motion made & second to elect 5 men to investigate about the tractors they were

Morris Lavine

Frank Lambour

Matti Riiska

Fred Pape

Earl Beller

Voted by the Town to accept this list

Article 13 Repairing the Montville School house  
 Struck out

Voted to have Mr More speak

Art 14 to sell the Clam River Bridge to the highest bidder Selectmen see to it

Art 15 Voted to raise of Dr Henry H Erbe \$500.00 he is to make calls in the day time for \$2.00 per call and in the evening \$3.00 per call  
 Schools and Old age and charity no fees

Yes 51 No 0

Voted by the Town to raise \$1000.00 for Tolland Mountain a new road Chapter 90 leading from New Boston to Tolland called Tolland Mountain road The vote was yes 53 - no 1 Providing we use money from State and County for same

Machinery fund voted to appropriate or reappropriate \$1271.66

Yes 31 - No 0

And the old balance \$ 137 36

D







D

Electric lights in Town Hall Voted to raise \$ 40.34  
 Old Age assistance Voted to raise \$2300 00  
 Administration old age \$ 125 00

The vote was 23 yes no 0

Voted by the Town to have the School Committee and Selectmen investigate the School Houses to see what can be done about the Schools to reduce the taxes

Polls were closed at 3 Oclock P.M,  
 Constable Joseph O Brien opened the Ballot box and the counters got busy to count 163 ballots

The counters were Eva Sears Ballot Clerks Sam Wilber Rep  
 Samuel Wilber . Helen Goda Dem  
 Leon Kilbourn .  
 Mrs Helen Goda

Ballots cast 163 in 1939 on voting list 227 Reg Voters

Town Clerk one year	Jason Sears	votes	105
" " "	Newton Orso	"	48
Town Treasurer for one year	Charles J Allan	votes	140
Selectmen for One year	Frank E Hawley	votes	85 Dem
" " " "	Jason Sears	"	94 Rep
" " " "	Henry F Dodd	"	124 Dem
" " " "	Albert Cornish	"	31 Dem
" " " "	Alfred A Carter	"	53 Rep
" " " "	Clarence E Deming	"	54 Rep
Assessor for three years	William W Smith	"	70 Rep
" " " "	Howard Spring	"	88 Dem
School Committee for three years	William W Smith	"	86 Rep
" " " " "	John B Kimberley	"	88 Dem
Library Trustee for three years	Mrs Flora Sturk	"	98 Dem
" " " " "	Mrs Sarah Louise Ives	"	50 Dem
Constable for one year	Joseph O Brien	"	99 Dem
" " " "	Arthur Spring	"	77 Dem
" " " "	Charles A Wells	"	109 Rep
Auditor for one year	Miss Ethel Wells	"	66 Rep
" " " "	Ada Rowley	"	82 Dem
Tax Collector for one year	William D Gregory	"	81 Rep
" " " "	Max Margulous	"	72 Dem

Sealer of Weights & Measures Elected by the Selectmen Robert Munson

Door Closed and everyone home bound

Attest a true copy

Jason Sears  
 Town Clerk of  
 Sandisfield Mass.







E

William T Gregory Tax Collector resigns October 19th 1939

South Sandisfield October 18th 1939

Board of Selectmen Sandisfield Mass  
Gentlemen

Please accept my resignation as Tax Collector of the Town of Sandisfield to take effect immediately

Respt  
W T Gregory

William W Smith of South Sandisfield elected by the Selectmen of Sandisfield for tax Collector for the remainder of the year of 1939 in Mr Gregorys place

William W Smith Sworn Oct 19 1939

Signed the Selectmen of Sandisfield Mass

Henry Dodd  
Jason Sears  
Frank E Hawley

Special Town Meeting held October 31 1939

Commonwealth of Massachusetts Berkshire SS  
To the Constable of the Town of Sandisfield  
Greeting

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town of Sandisfield qualified to vote in election and town affairs to meet at the Town Hall on Tuesday October 31 at 2 o clock to 4 P M 1939

Article 1 - To see if the Town will vote to accept the so called York Lake road about 2700 feet bounded by the Sandisfield State Forest

Article 2 - To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of Fortyeight hundred Dollars from free cash in the treasury for Purchase of a new Tractor and Snow Plow and to authorize the Selectmen to turn in the Old Tractor and Snow Plow towards the purchase of the New tractor and Snow Plow or take any action thereon

Article 3 - To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of Four hundred dollars for Snow and Ice removal from free Cash in the treasury or take any thereon

Article 4 - To see if the Town will vote to Buy a light Snow Plow for a truck for the West Street roads

Article 5 - To see if the Town will vote to repair the New Boston road by the Post Office with a few loads of Gravel

Article 6 - To see if the Town will vote to repair the John R Smith road near Otis

Article 7 - And for other items that may come before said meeting

F

The polls will be open at 2 o clock P M and may be closed at 4 o clock P M, and you are directed to serve this warrant by posting true and attested copies thereof in three public places within the Town of Sandisfield seven days at least before the time of said meeting hereof fail not and make due returns of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at or before the time of holding said meeting

Given under our hands at Sandisfield this 23rd day of October 1939

A true copy attest  
Charles A Wells Constable of Sandisfield

Henry F Dodd ) Selectmen  
Jason Sears ) of  
Frank E Hawley ) Sandisfield





F

Special Town Meeting held October 31 1939 at 2 P M to 4 P M

Warrant read by the Town Clerk and a vote for Moderator -Charles A Allan was elected

- Article 1 - York Lake road of 2700 feet Motion made and seconded to accept York Lake road Voted by hand 22 yes no 0
- Article 2 - Voted to appropriate the Sum of Fiftyeight hundred dollars \$5800.00 from free cash in the Treasury for a new tractor and snow plow the vote 28 yes No 0
- Article 3 - Voted to raise \$400.00 for Ice & Snow removal
- Article 4 - Rod by Immermans Store Gravel Voted no
- Article 5 - Voted to repair the John R Smith road in 1948
- Article 6 - Voted by the Town to buy a new V Snow Plow for a truck from free cash in the Treasury of \$475.00 the vote was 23 yes no 0  
A motion made and seconded to have Charles J Allan see to purchasing the new snow plow
- Article 7 - Voted to close the meeting

Attest a true copy

Jason Sears Town Clerk of Sandisfield

G

Town Meeting February 12th 1940

Commonwealth of Massachusetts Berkshire SS

To the Constable of the Town of Sandisfield

Greeting

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town of Sandisfield qualified to vote in Election and town affairs to meet at the Town Hall on February 12th 1940 at 10 o clock A M for the following purposes - Viz:

To choose a Moderator

To vote by ballot for town officers and terms thereof as follows

- One Town Clerk for one year
- One Town Treasurer for the term of one year
- Three Selectmen for the term of one year
- One Assessor for the term of three years
- One Library Trustee for the term of three years
- Two Constables for the term of one year
- One Auditor for the term of one year
- One Tax Collector for the term of one year

Article 1 - To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary to pay the expenses of the various Town Departments

General Government - Unclassified - Health Department - Inspector of Animals - Inspection of Slaughter - Repair of Highways - Repair of Bridges - Opening roads in Winter - Support of Schools - Charity - Insurance Workmans Compensation Act - Public Library - Interest - fires Contingent fund and for any other purpose that may be necessary or come before said meeting

Article 2 - To see if the Town will vote to buy bonds for the bonded officials and to appropriate money for same

Article 3 - To see if the Town will authorize the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January first 1940 and to issue a not or notes therefor payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44 General Laws

To see if the Town will vote to continue the improvement of the Montville road and to appropriate money for same to be used under the provisions of Chapter 90





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- Article 4 - To see if the Town will vote to raise money for the Collection of taxes for 1940 -
  - Article 5 - To see if the Town will vote to raise money for the care of Cemeteries
  - Article 6 - To see if the Town will Vote to turn over the 1939 Dog tax money to the Library
  - Article 7 - To see if the Town will vote how to use the 1940 money that was payed to the Town for Beer & Liquor licenses
  - Article 8 - To see if the Town of Sandisfield will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$500.00 for Dr Henry H Erbe as Town physician, he will act as Town physician, School Physician and agent for board of health. He will care for all Charity patients. he will make calls in Town during the day for \$2.00 and at night for \$3.00
  - Article 9 - To see if the Town will vote to accept the Town Reports
  - Article 10 - To see if the Town will vote to accept the Jurymen as presented by the Selectmen
  - Article 11 - To see what the Town has to say about Snow removal and sanding the roads
  - Article 12 - To see if the Town will raise \$5.00 for Flags for the Soldiers graves
  - Article 13 - To see if the Town will vote to trap fur bearing animals and use the steel traps
  - Article 14 - To see if the Town will vote to raise money for Machinery
  - Article 15 - To see if the Town will vote to raise money for electric lights in the Town Hall
  - Article 16 - To take a vote how to use the free cash in the Treasury from time to time
  - Article 17 - To see if the Town will assume liability in the manner provided in Section 29 Chapter 91 of the general laws and Chapter 513 of the Acts of 1939 for all damages that may be incurred by work to be performed by the Department of Public Works of Massachusetts in rivers and Streams of the Town in accordance with provisions of said Chapter 513 and authorize the Selectmen to execute and deliver a bond of indemnity therefor the Commonwealth

H

The polls will be open at Ten o clock A M and may be closed at three o clock P M and you are directed to serve this warrant by posting true and attested copies thereof in three public places within the Town of Sandisfield seven days at least before the time of said meeting hereof fail not and make due returns of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at or before the time of holding said meeting

Given under our hands at Sandisfield February 3rd 1940

Henry F Dodd

Jason Sears

Frank E Hawley

Selectmen of Sandisfield

A true copy attest

Jason Sears

Town Clerk of Sandisfield

Charles A Wells

Constable of Sandisfield

Town Meeting held February 12 - 1940

Warrant read by the Town Clerk Polls open at 10 a m

Charles A Allan elected Moderator by ballot box

The vote for various articles were as follows:

Voted by the Town to raise for General Government	\$2300.00
" " " " " Unclassified	\$100 00





H	Voted Repair of Highways Chapter 81	\$3000.00
	Health Department Inspection of Slaughters and Meat	250 00
	Repair of Bridges	1200 00
	Snow removal Winter Opening roads	1800 00
	Support of Schools Sixteen thousand & four hundred	16,400 00
	High School Training Voted to raise	70 00
	Welfare Voted to raise	1100 00
	Old Age Voted to raise	2000 00
	Old assistance administrator	120 00
	Workmens Compensation Insurance	800 00
	Public Library Voted to use the 1939 Dog tax money that was received from the County	
	Interest Voted to raise the sum of	300 00
	Fires Contingent fund Voted to raise	400 00
	Bonds for Town Officers Voted to raise	60 00
	Chapter 90 Montville road Maintenance Voted to raise	1000 00
	Providing we rec money from State & County	
	Care of Cemeteries	75 00
	Machinery Fund out of Fund	1100 00
I	Article 3 - Voted that the Town Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen be and hereby is authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January first 1940 and to issue a note or notes therefor payable within one year and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in ac- cordance with Section 17 Chapter 141 General Laws	
	Liquor and Beer Money Vote to use it to reduce the 1940 Taxes	
	Voted to accept the Town Reports	
	Jury men as presented by the Selectmen	
	Newton Orsos name withdrawn and John B Kimberley takes his place and the list accepted by the Town	
	Flage for Soldiers Graves Voted to raise	\$5.00
	Voted to Trap fur bearing animals and use the Steel trap	
	Voted to raise for Electric lights in Town Hall	10 50
	Voted by ballot yes 51 and no 27 to use from the free cash in the Treasurey for Gravelling the roads	\$2000 00
	Voted by the Town to give Dr Henry H Erbe - for all Charity Cases & Schools and Board of health and calls daytime \$2.00 night \$3.00	500 00
	Department of Public Works Rivers and Streams	
	Voted for the Selectmen to see to it and if necessary get the bonds	
	Voted by the Town to put up hooks for coats and raised	\$2.25
	Voted by the Town to pay the Library Trustees \$5.00 each of in all the three \$15.00 per year	
	Voted by the Town to pay the Otis fire Department for coming to two fires in Sandisfield	\$50.00
	Voted by the Town to spend on the Tannery road by Immermans store for gravelling	\$25.00
	Voted by the Town for to raise up the Shed for the new Tractor & snow plow at Town Hall	\$150 00
	Voted by the Town to have electric lights in all School houses where the electric line is running by	
	Voted to close the meeting at 3 pm and count the Ballots the results were as follows	
	There was 149 Votes cast and there was 218 Voters on the list for 1940	





I The Ballot Clerks were Sam Wilber, Rep and Helen Goda, Dem  
 The Ballot Counters were Eva Sears - Leon Kilbourn - Mary Campetti  
 Jason Sears Town Clerk 126 votes  
 Town Treasurer Charles J Allan 105 Mrs Gertrude M Carter 43 votes  
 Selectmen Frank E Hawley 110 - Jason Sears 121 - Henry F Dodd 127  
 Assessor for 3 years William H Rowley 127  
 School Committee for 3 years Mrs Flora E Sturk Rep 91 - John B Kimberley 44  
 Library Trustee for 3 years Helen Goda Dem 82 - Eva Sears Rep 61  
 Constable for one year Joseph O Brien R&D 104 - Otis Beller D 61 - Charles A Wells R 101  
 Auditor for one year Ceda Rowley R&D 117  
 Tax Collector for one year William W Smith R 86 - Max Margulius D 60 -  
 Moderator Charles J Allan for one year

\$32,832.75

Attest a true copy  
 Jason Sears  
 Town Clerk of Sandisfield

J Hawley said for Dodd and Sears to organize  
 So they met at the Town Clerks office on February 13, 1940 and Henry Dodd was  
 chosen for Chairman and Road Superintendent and Tree warden  
 Inspector of Animals Joseph O'Brien  
 Inspector of meat & Slaughter Joseph O Brien and Howard Spring  
 Sealer of Weights and Measures Robert Munson  
 Old Age Administrator Charles J Allan  
 Moth Superintendant Jason Sears  
 Field Drivers South Sandisfield Matt Riiska  
 " " New Boston Arthur Church  
 " " Montville Sam Steinbauch  
 Fence Viewers the Selectmen  
 Board of Health the Selectmen  
 Wood - Lumber - Hay - Bark the Selectmen

A true copy  
 Jason Sears  
 Town Clerk of Sandisfield

# Liquor & Beer licenses for 1940

Mrs Lillian Palmer	all Alcoholic	\$250.00
Mr Louise Orso	all Alcoholic	\$250.00
Morris Immerman	Beer & Wine	\$100.00
Mrs Ethel M H Perkins	All Alcoholic	\$250.00
Walter Galaske	Beer & Wine	\$100 .00

Fire Warden John B Kimberley  
 " Deputies Arthur Spring  
 " " Howard Spring  
 " " William W Smith  
 " " Charles A Wells  
 " " Marvin Rowley  
 " " Sam Steinbauch

Sworn in March 14, 1940





J

Warrant - Notice - A Special Town Meeting will be held 1940 on Thursday April 4th 2 to 4 Oclock P.M. at the Town Hall in Sandisfield - To raise money to pay back snow bills - and other items that may come before said meeting

Henry F Dodd )  
Jason Sears ) Selectmen of  
Frank E Hawley ) Sandisfield

Special Town Meeting was held on April 4th 2 to 4 P M 1940

Warrant read by the Town Clerk - Charles Allan Moderator

Motion made and second to use \$500.00 for Snow bills taken from the Chapter 90 money that was raised February 12, 1940

Voted to rescind the vote for gravel money of \$400.00 that was raised at our Annual Town Meeting on February 12 1940

Motion made and Second to use \$2500.00 of Free Cash Gravel Money to pay Snow bills with

The \$1500.00 of Free Cash Gravel money Voted to use it on all roads for Gravel

Motion made & Second for Mr Miner of Monterey and Mr Harold Pickhart to speck about the quarry in New Boston

Committee apointed to look it over & Frank Brenner and Francis Smith - Committee

All the Selectmen called to have the meeting closed it was 4 30 P.M. but a Voter got up and made a motion to raise \$2000.00 for Gravel it was yes 26 - no 12

And the meeting was closed at 4 34

And was out of order and called Void

Attest a true copy Jason Sears  
Town Clerk of  
Sandisfield

Henry F Dodd ) Selectmen  
Jason Sears ) of  
Frank E Hawley ) Sandisfield Mass

April 4, 1940

K

Town Warrant for Presidential Primary 1940

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Berkshire S.S.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Sandisfield

In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town who are qualified to vote in Primaries to meet in the Town Hall Sandisfield Tuesday, the Thirtieth day of April, 1940 at 10 Oclock a m to 4 oclock P.M. for the following purposes

To bring in their Votes to the primary Officers for the Election of candidates of political Parties for the following offices

- 4 Delegates at large to the National Convention of the Republican Party
- 12 Delegates at large to the National Convention of the Democratic Party
- 12 Alternative Delegates at large to the National Convention of the Democratic Party
- 2 District Delegates to the National Convention of the Republican Party
- 2 Alternative District Delegates to the National Convention Congressional District of the Republican Party
- 4 District Delegates to the National Donvention of the Democratic Party
- 4 Alternate District Delegates to the National Convention of the Democratic Party - Congressional Dist
- District members of State Committee) one Man and one Woman for each Political party for the - Senatorial District
- 4 Members of the Republican Town Committee
- 3 members of the Democratic Town Committee





K The Polls will be open from 10 O'clock a m to 4 P m  
Hereof fail not and make due returns of this Warrant with your doings thereon at  
time and place of said meeting

Given under our hands this 12 day of April A.D. 1940

Henry Dodd ) Selectmen  
Jason Sears ) of  
Frank E Hawley) Sandisfield

A true copy attest

Charles A Wells Constable of Sandisfield

April 12, 1940

State Primary - Held April 30, 1940

Polls open at 10 a m and closed 4 P m at Town Hall in Sandisfield - 15 votes cast -  
13 Republicans - and 2 Democrats - the Count was as follows

L	Republican Group 1 - Delegates		Democratic Side	
	William H Masters	0	David I Walsh	2 votes
	Byron P Hayden	1	Paul A Davis	0
	Harry P Gibbs	0	John McCormack	0
	Selden G Hill	0	Maurice J Tobin	0
	Group 1 - Alternate Delegates		William H Burke Jr	0
	Abbie L Tebbets	0	James M Curley	0
	Berton S Evens	1	Charles F Hasley	0
	Annie L Brown	0	Joseph B Ely	0
	Lucius K Thayer	0	Francis E Kelly	0
	Group 2 - Delegates		Roger L Putnam	0
	Leverett Saltonstall	12	William J Foley	0
	Henry Cabbot Lodge Jr	12	Alexander G LaJorie	0
	Joseph W Martin Jr	12	Alternate Delegates Group	
	John W Haigis	12	Henry K Cushing	1
	Group 2 Alternate Delegates		Joseph A Scapporreti	1
	Mary B Besse	12	Elizabeth L McNamara	1
	Orin S Kenney	12	Catherine E Hanifin	1
	Mary Phillips Bailey	13	Clementina Langoue	1
	Irene Gorwitz	12	Anna A Skarry	1
	Group 1 -		Margaret M O Riosday	1
	James H Whittemore	0	John zielinski	1
	Daniel B Fiddeman	0	Mary Maliotia	1
	Group 1 - Alternate Delegates		Michael J Betal	1
	Josephine B Manley	0	Morris Kritzman	1
	Mary M Seaman	0	Group Delegates	
	Group 2 Delegates		John M Defey	2
	Margaret A Green	9	William E Nolen	2
	John B Hull Jr	9	Clifford J Akey	2
	Group 2 Alternate Delegates		John S Begley	2
	Frank A Bond	9	Group Alternate Delegates	
	Ruth Thomas Gillett	9	Francis E Folwy	1
	State Committee		May h Cornell	1
	Frank H Wright - Man	11	Lucy A Hickey	1
	Mary Phillips Bailey	10	Dennis S Shannon	1
	Town Committee		Not Grouped Delegates	
	Gertrude M Carter	11	Fred W Smith	0
	Howard Christenson	10	State Committee	
	Jason Sears	12	James P Kane	0
	Alfred A Carter	10	William McCarty	1
	Eva Sears	11	Ella M Sheekey	1











M	Treasurer	Ernest J Brown	8
		Patrick M Cahill	5
		Joseph W Doherty	4
		John J Donahue	11
		John J McGrath	1
	Auditor	Thomas J Buckley	16
		Thomas P Flaherty	2
		William P Husband	6
		Geo D Walsh	4
	Attorney General	John H Backus	6
		James Henry Brennen	4
		Thomas M Burke	2
		Joseph V Carroll	7
		Jeannette C Chisholm	4
		Joseph Finnegan	1
		John W Lyons	4
		Edward A Ryan	2
		Harold W Sullivan	0
	Senator in Congress	David I Walsh	24
	Congressman	Clifford J Arkey	25
	Councillor	Ernest W Brunault	2
		Frank Long	3
		James R McQueen	3
		Roland D Sawyer	6
		Daniel M Walsh Jr	1
	Senator	Thomas W Hagen	12
		George E Kelly	16
	Representative in General Court		
		Charles J Allan of Sandisfield	9
		Howard Spring " "	1
	Clerk of Courts	Irving H Gamwell	5
		Charles Allan	1
	Register of Deeds	Josephine LeBlanc	8
	County Commissioners Berkshire County		
		Maurice Leo Callahan	15
		John Kissell	6
		J Joseph McCabe	12
		Walter F Pringle	6
		Frank Sturges	1
		Frederick H Purches	1
		Charles Allan	1
		Paul White	1
	Delegates State Convention Sandisfield		
		Charles J Allan	20
		Delbut Beller	1
		Francis Smith	1
		John B Kimberley	1
		Jason Sears	1

Polls closed and homeward bound

Attest Jason Sears

Town Clerk of Sandisfield



## Special Town Meeting held November 12th 1940

Commonwealth of Massachusetts Berkshire S.S.

Greeting - To the Constable of the Town of Sandisfield

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are required to notify and warn the Inhabitants of said town of Sandisfield qualified to vote in election and town affairs to meet at the Town Hall - At 2 Oclock Pm on November 12th 1940 for the following purposes

- Art 1 To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for the Purchase of Snow Equipment for use on the tractor from available funds in the Treasury
- Art 2 To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of Twenty five hundred dollars for repair to the Tractor and buy a Second hand Snow Plow for Mr Frank E Hawleys Section to plow Snow with the money to pay for same to come from available funds in the treasury
- Article 3 - To see if the Town will vote to raise the sum of Three hundred fifty dollars to pay the rest of the 1940 Welfare Department

Given under our hands at Sandisfield November 5th 1940

Henry F Dodd

Jason Sears

Frank E Hawley Selectmen of Sandisfield

November the 12 - 1940 the Special Town Meeting was held at the Town Hall in Sandisfield. It being a rainy day Several turned out

The meeting was called at 2 30 Om We waited for our Moderator Mr Charles J Allan but he did not come so the Town Clerk read the Warrant and a vote was called for Mr Frank E Hawley to serve as Moderator which he did

- Article 1 - All voted to raise money for the Machinery but no money raised
- Article 2 - Voted yes to raise or use Twenty five hundred dollars from free cash in the treasury To repair the tractors and buy a Second hand Snow Plow and repair the tractors in no one Shape Overhaul and new Parts And the tractor and Snow Plow to be in the hands of Selectman Frank E Hawley
- Article 3 - Voted to raise Three hundred and fifty dollars to pay the 1940 Welfare Department

The Speakers were Mr Maine of Pittsfield the tractor man so called Mr Dodd and Mr Dixon also Jason Sears

The meeting was closed and everyone homeward bound

Attest Jason Sears  
Town Clerk of  
Sandisfield

November 12, 1940





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State Election was held in Sandisfield on November the 5th 1940

Polls open at 10 am and closed at 8 Pm

201 voters were out to cast Ballots and the results were as follows

#### President

Aiken and Orange -	Socialist Labor Party	0
Babson & Moorman	Prohibition Party	0
Browder & Ford	Communist Party	1
Roosevelt & Wallace	Democratic Party	110
Thomas & Kineger	Socialist Party	0
Willkie & McNary	Republican Party	82

#### Governor

Henning A Blomen	Socialist Party Labor	2
Jeffrey W Campbell	Socialist Party	1
Paul A Dever	Dem "	102
Otis Archer Hood	Communist Party	2
E Tallmadge Root	Proabition "	2
Leverett Saltonstall	Republican Party	79

#### Lieutenant Governor

Horace T Cahill	Republican Party	71
Hugo De Gregory	Communist Party	3
Owen A Gallagher	Dem "	101
Walter S Hutchins	Socialist "	3
George L McGlynn	Socialist Labor Party	0
Gay S Williams	Proibition "	6

#### Secretary

Frederick W Cook	Rep "	77
Katherine A Foley	Dem "	105
Thomas F P O Dea	Com Party	0
Modistino Torra	Socailist Labor "	2
Peter Wartearnen	Socialist Party	0

#### Treasurer

John J Donahue	Dem	104
Henry Crossman	Communist Party	3
Thomas Hamilton	Prohibition	2
William E Hurley	Rep	74
Malcolm T Rowe	Socialist Labor Party	1
Andrew Severson	Socialist "	0

#### Auditor

Arthur R Buckley	Com Party	4
Thomas J Buckley	Dem "	102
Charles H Daniels	Socialist Party	0
Bernard G Kelly	Socialist Labor Party	0
Harry W Kimball	Prohibition Party	2
Russell A Wood	Republican	75

#### Attorney General

James H Brennan	Dem	103
Robert T Bushnell	Rep	75
Joseph C Figuenedo	Communist Party	3





N	Austin H Fritz	Prohibition Party	1
	Charles R Hill	Socialist	1
	Fred E Belcher	Socialist Labor Party	0

#### Senator in Congress

Philip Frankfeld	Communist Party	3
Horace I Millis	Socialist Party Labor	0
George Lyman Paine	Socialist Party	0
Henry Parkman Jr	Rep	75
George C Thompson	Prohibition	2
David I Walsh	Dem	105

#### Congressman

Clifford J Akey	Dem	100
Allan T Treadway	Rep	90

#### Councillor

Arthur A Hastinger	Rep	71
Daniel M Walsh Jr	Dem	111

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#### Senator

George E Kelly	Dem	116
Donald A McDonald	Rep	74

#### Representative General Court

Frank R Constance	Independent	40
Paul W Foster	Rep	91
T Marion B MacCormack	Independent	19

#### Clerk of Courts Berkshire C

Irving H Gamwell	Rep	129
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#### Register of Deeds

Josephine B DeBlanc	Rep	141
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#### County Commissioners

Maurice Leo Callahan	Dem	92
J Joseph McCabe	Dem	73
Frederick H Purches	Rep	68
John L Robbins	Rep	61

#### Liquor Beer Wine and all

##### Alcoholic Beverages

No 1	Yes	107
	No	27
No 2	Yes	106
	No	15
No 3	Yes	99
	No	24

#### Ballot Clerks

Sam Wilbur Rep	Eva Sears Checker of Voting List
Helen Goda Dem	Ballots counted by Eva Sears & Helen Goda & assistant clerk Alfred A Carter

#### Attest Jason Sears

Town Clerk of Sandisfield



Commonwealth of Massachusetts Berkshire S.S.  
 To the constable of the Town of Sandisfield  
 Greeting

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town of Sandisfield qualified to vote in election and Town affairs to meet at the Town Hall on Monday February the tenth 1941 at ten O clock am. for the following purposes Viz

To choose a Moderator C Allan held for one year Voted last year of 1940  
 To Vote by ballot for Town officers and terms thereof as follows

- One Town Clerk for the term of one year
- One Town Treasurer for the term of one year
- Three Selectmen for the term of one year
- One Assessor for the term of three years
- One Library Trustee for the term of three years
- Two Constables for the term of one year
- One Auditor for the term of one year
- One Tax Collector for the term of one year

Art 1 - To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary to pay the expenses of variour Town Departments  
 General Government - Unclassified - Health Department -  
 Inspection of Animals - Inspection Slaughters -  
 Repair of Highways - Repair of Bridges - Opening Roads in Winter snow -  
 Support of Schools - Charity - Insurance Workmans Compensation act -  
 Public Library - Interest - Fires - Contingent fund and for any other  
 purpose that may be necessary or come before said meeting

Art 2 - To see if the Town will vote to accept the Jury list as presented by the Selectmen

Art 3 - To see if theTown will vote to buy bonds for its Bonded officials and appropriate money for same

Art 4 - To see if the Town will vote to accept the Town Reports

Art 5 - To see if Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginnign January first 1941, and to issue a note or notes thereof payable within one year; and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17 Chapter 44 General Laws

Art 6 - To see if the Town will vote to raise \$5.00 for Flags

Art 7 - To see if the Town will vote to continue the improvement of the Tolland Mountain Road leading to Tolland line under the provisions of Chapter 90 -

Art 8 - To see if the Town will vote to have a new floorin the Town Hall and raise money for same

Art 9 - To see if the Town will vote to pay for land damages from cleaning the Rivers and Streams by the State

Art 10 - To see if the Town will vote to sell several farms and land taken over by the Town for Taxes

Art 11 - To see if the Town will vote to buy a new Road Scraper and raise money for same

Art 12 - To see if theTown will vote to have Electric lights on Main Street in New Boston and raise money for same

Art 13 - To see if the Town will vote to use the 1940 dog tax money for the library - And Mr Joseph Obrien will take on the Collection of Dog Taxes

Art 14 - To see if the Town will vote to raise money for the Machinery fund so called





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- Art 15 - To see if the Town will vote to let the Library Trustees use the Dog tax money and the interest on the Viets fund to make repairs on the Library
- Art 16 - To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the improvement of Tolland Mountain Road Said money to be used in conjunction with any money which may be allotted by the State or County or both for the purpose - or take any other action in relation thereto
- Art 17 - To see if the Town will vote to raise money for the Wiring of the New Boston and West New Boston School Houses
- Art 18 - To see if the Town of Sandisfield will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$500.00 for Dr Henry H Erbe as Town Physician he will act as Town Physician School Physician and agent for board of health - he will care for all Charity patients, he will make calls in the Town during the day for \$2.00 and at night for \$3.00

The polls will be open at ten o'clock a.m. and may be closed at three o'clock p.m. and you are directed to serve this warrant by posting true and attested copies thereof in three public places within the Town of Sandisfield seven days at least before the time of said meeting hereof fail not and make due returns of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at or before the time of holding said meeting

Given under our hands at Sandisfield the first day of February 1941

A true copy attest

Charles A Wells

Constable of Sandisfield

Henry F Dodd

Jason Sears

Selectmen of

Sandisfield

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Town Meeting Sandisfield February 10th 1941

Alfred A Carter was assistant Town Clerk and Mrs Eva Sears read the Warrant:  
Charles J Allan was Moderator Elected in 1940 for the year  
Ballot Clerks Samuel Wilbur Rep & Helen Goda Dem  
John B Kimberley was chosen a Ballot Clerk  
The Polls were open at 10 am. Everything ready and the voters busy voting and raising money

The Vote was for General Government	Article 1 -	\$2300 00
Unclassified		\$ 100 00
Inspector of Animals		\$ 200 00
Highways Chapter 81		\$3000 00
Bridges		\$1200 00
Snow		\$2000 00
Support of Schools		\$16,400 00
Welfare		\$1200 00
Workmens Compensation Act Insurance		\$ 800 00
Interest		\$ 300 00
Fires - Contingent		\$ 400 00
Vocational Arts		200 00

Article 2 - Jury List Accepted

Art 3 Bonded officials \$60 00

Art 4 Town Reports Accepted

Art 5 Voted that the Town Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen be and hereby is authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the





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revenue of the financial year beginning January first 1941 and to issue a note or notes therefor payable within one year and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17 Chapter 44 General Laws

- Art 6 - Voted by the Town to pay \$5.00 for flags for Decoration day for the Soldiers graves
- Art 7 - Voted by the Town to repair Tolland Mountain Road Chapter 90
- Art 8 - Voted to have a new floor in the Town Hall and \$300 was appropriated and repair the underpinning under the floor
- Art 9 - Voted for the Selectmen to get permission for land by owners Rivers & Streams
- Art 10 - Voted to raise \$250.00 for Tax Titles land and farms taken over by the Town for Taxes
- Art 11 - Voted to raise \$1500.00 for a new Road Scraper and voted to buy a new Road Scraper
- Art 12 - Voted to have Electric lights in New Boston Main St and voted to raise \$250.00 for 10 lights and fixtures and everything
- Art 13 - Voted to have the 1940 Dog tax money for the Library
- Art 14 - Voted to use the machinery of \$1059.67 on hand in the Treasurer
- Art 15 - Voted to use the Dog fund and Viets interest for repairs on Library
- Art 16 - Voted that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$2500.00 for the improvement of Tolland Mountain Road Said sum or any portion thereof to be used in conjunction with any money which may be allotted by the State or County or both for this purpose. A similar article and vote would apply for Chapter 90 Maintenance. Voted to raise \$650.00 for Maintenance of the Montville road called Chapter 90
- Art 17 - Voted to raise \$100.00 for wiring and Electric lights in the New Boston School House - and voted to raise \$100.00 for Wiring and Electric lights in the West New Boston School house
- S Art 18 - Voted to raise \$500.00 for Dr Henry H Erbe as Town Physician he will act as Town & Schools Physician & agent of Board of health he will care for all Charity patients free - he will make calls in the Town of Sandisfield day time for \$2.00 and night calls for \$3.00

#### Miscellaneous

- Voted to raise \$100 to buy a Snow plow for John B Kimberley
- Voted to raise the Library Trustees fees to \$5.00 each in all \$15.00
- Voted to raise \$2000.00 for old age assistance
- Voted to raise \$120.00 for old age assistance administration
- Voted to raise \$10.50 for Electric lights in the Town hall
- Voted to raise \$100.00 for Constables

Voted to close the polls and the ballots were counted

Ballot Clerks Sam Wilbur Rep  
" " Helen Goda Dem

John B Kimberley elected Ballot box clerk

#### Counters of Ballots

Eva Sears  
Helen Goda  
Harry Rogers  
Joe OBrien

Sam Wilbur

The crowd stayed to see  
how the vote came out

Attest

Jason Sears  
Town Clerk

Next Page for results

188 Ballots cast



S 188 Ballots Cast February 10, 1941 the Vote for Town Officers

Town Clerk for one year		
Jason Sears	Votes	162
Town Treasurer for one year		
Wm Klingler Stickers	23	Votes
Gertrude M Carter	101	Votes
Charles Dixon Stickers	34	"
Selectmen for one year		
Jason Sears	111	
Henry F Dodd	112	
Charles J Allan	120	
Alfred Riiska	87	
Frank E Hawley	74	
Assessor for three years		
Charles A Wells	68	
Meyer Levine	117	
School Committee for 3 years		
William H Rowley	115	
Library Trustee for 3 years		
Florence Dixon	141	
Constable for one year		
Joseph Obrien	126	
George Pinsky	70	
Clifford Palmer	98	
Auditor one year		
Ada Rowley	154	
Tax Collector for one year		
William W Smith	119	
Max Margulies	66	
Sealer of Weights & Measures		
Robert Munson	147	

Attest Jason Sears  
Town Clerk

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T February 12 - 10 Oclock A.M. - 1941

The Selectmen organized at the Town Hall

Voted by Ballot box - the vote was as follows

Charles J Allan elected Chairman of Selectmen

Charles J Allan elected Road Superintendant Chapter 81

Tree Warden Henry F Dodd

Inspector of animals Joseph O'brien

Inspectors of Slaughters & Meat Joseph Obrien & Howard Spring

Old age administration and Board of Public Welfare

Charles Dixon

Moth Supertendant

Jason Sears

Chapter 90 Tolland Mountain Road and Maintenance of the Montville Road

Jason Sears

Field Drivers	South Sandisfield	Matti Riiska
	New Boston	Arthur Church
	Montville	Sam Steinbauch

Fence Viewers The Selectmen

Wood Lumber & Bark The Selectmen

Board of Health Dr Erbe and the Selectmen

Fire Warden John B Kimberley

Meeting closed and homeward bound

Attest Jason Sears

Town Clerk

Sandisfield

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CANVASS OF VOTES  
For REPRESENTATIVE. DISTRICT No. 5

Berkshire, ss.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

The undersigned, clerks of the several towns comprising the Representative District No. Five (5), in said County, met at the Town Clerk's office in Great Barrington, at twelve o'clock noon, on Friday, the 15th day of November, 1940, and hereby certify that they did then and there examine all the attested copies of the records of the votes of the aforementioned towns at their several meetings on Tuesday, November 5, 1940, the result being as follows:

The whole number of votes cast was 5949

	Great Barrington	Stockbridge	Sheffield	West Stockbridge	Egremont	Alford	Mt. Washington	Sandisfield	New Marlboro	Monterey	Total
Frank R. Constance	718	123	107	109	50	23	8	40	84	36	1298
Paul W. Foster	2048	606	584	301	241	79	27	91	289	114	4380
T Marion B MacCormack	81	69	37	24	5	4	1	19	24	7	271

And the said Paul W Foster was declared elected

(Attest)

Ruth F Modolo  
Adam Schilling  
Carlton W French  
Winthrop F Sheen  
Ray T Patterson  
P M Weaver  
Jason Sears  
Agnes Murray  
Frank M Harmon

Town Clerk of Great Barrington  
Town Clerk of Stockbridge  
Town Clerk of Sheffield  
Town Clerk of West Stockbridge  
Town Clerk of Egremont  
Town Clerk of Mount Washington  
Town Clerk of Sandisfield  
Town Clerk of New Marlboro  
Town Clerk of Monterey



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2 Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
Berkshire SS

To Henry T Carter Constable of the town of Sandisfield

Greeting

In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid you are required to notify and warn all the inhabitants of said town qualified to vote in elections and town affairs to meet at the Town Hall in said town on Tuesday Sept 23rd at eleven O clock A.M. to act on the following articles to wit:-

Art 1 To choose a moderator to preside at said meeting

Art 2nd To see if the town will vote to accept the provisions of Chap 783 of the Acts of 1913, an act to authorize the town of Sandisfield to refund certain indebtedness, be it enacted as follows.

Sec 1 The Town of Sandisfield for the purpose of refunding three thousand four hundred and seventy dollars represented by demand notes, is hereby authorized to incur indebtedness to that amount and to issue notes of the town therefor, notes issued under authority of this act shall be payable by such annal payments beginning not more than one year after the date of the note first issued as will extinguish the whole loan within ten years from the date of the first note issued, and the amount of such annal payments shall not be less than the amount of the principle payable in any subsequent year, said notes shall bear interest at a rate not to exceed five per cent per annum payable semi annally; and the amount required to pay the interest and principle maturing each year shall be raised by taxation and shall without further action by the town be assessed, until the debt is extinguished

Sec 2 The Treasurer of the town of Sandisfield with the approval of the Selectmen is hereby authorized to incur indebtedness in behalf of the town under the provisions of this act and to issue notes of the town therefor this act shall take effect upon its passage  
Approved June 13 1913

3 Art 3 To see if the town will authorize the Selectmen to convey be deed the upper South west School house property

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof seven days at least before the time of holding said meeting one in the post office at New Boston one in the Town Hall, one in the post office in Montville one in post office in So Sandisfield, one on the School house at West Beach Plain

Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this fifth day of Sept A D 1913

Edman H Strickland ) Selectmen  
Frank E Hawley ) of  
Frank M Rugg ) Sandisfield

Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
Berkshire SS

Sandisfield Sept 12 1913

By virtue hereof I have served the within warrant as within directed by posting true and attested copies thereof in five public places one in the Post Office in New Boston one in the Post Office in Montville one in the Post Office in So Sandisfield one on the Town Hall one on the School House at West Beach Plain, seven days at least before the time of said meeting

Henry T Carter Constable of Sandisfield

Attest Wesley N Clark Town Clerk





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Tuesday Sept 23rd 1913

Meeting called to order by clerk

Horrace W Ward was elected moderator

Voted To accept Article 2 whereby the town is authorized to borrow money to pay indebtedness

Voted To empower the Selectmen to convey by deed the School House and grounds in Upper Southwest to any person or persons

Voted To Adjourn without date

Attest Wesley N Clark

Town Clerk

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Berkshire SS

To Henry T Carter Constable of Sandisfield

Greeting:-

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are required to notify and warn all the inhabitants of the town of Sandisfield qualified to vote in State elections to meet in the Town Hall on Tuesday November 4th 1913 at ten o'clock A M for the following purposes, to bring in their votes to the election officers for the election of candidates for the following officers.

For a Governor for the Commonwealth

For a Secretary " "

For a Treasurer & Receiver General "

For an Auditor " "

For Attorney General "

For a Councillor for the Berkshire Hampshire and Hamden District

For a Representative in General Court for the seventh district

For a County Commissioner for the County of Berkshire

For two Associate Commissioners for the County of Berkshire

For a District Attorney for Berkshire and Hamden County

For a Register of Probate and Insolvency for Berkshire County

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To vote on the following.

Shall the proposed amendment to the Constitution authorizing the referendum be approved and ratified?

Shall the proposed amendment to the Constitution making women eligible to appointment as notaries public be approved and ratified?

"Shall Chapter 807 of the acts of nineteen hundred and thirteen, being an act to provide for compensating laborers, workmen and mechanics for injuries sustained in public employment, and to exempt from liability counties and municipal corporations which pay such compensation, be accepted by the inhabitants of this County?

All of the above candidates and amendments are to be voted for on one ballot. the ballots to be furnished by the State. the polls will be open from ten o'clock A M till three o'clock P M, and you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof seven days at least before the time of said meeting one in the post office in New Boston one on the Town Hall. hereof fail not and with your doings thereon make return of this warrant to the Town Clerk at or before the time of said meeting





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Given under our hands this twenty third day of October 1913

Edman H Strickland) Selectmen  
 Frank E Hawley ) of  
 Frank M Rugg ) Sandisfield

Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
 Berkshire SS

Sandisfield Oct 27 1913

By virtue of this warrant I have served as within directed, in two public places  
 one in PO at New Boston one on Town Hall

Henry T Carter  
 Constable of Sandisfield

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Sandisfield Tuesday November 4th 1913

Meeting called to order

Orlo C Twining and David were appointed Ballot Clerks. ballot box examined by  
 election officers voting commenced polls closed at three o'clock. ballots  
 assorted and counted the whole number cast was sixty six and were for the fol-  
 lowing persons

Governor

Charles S Bird	had	thirty two	votes	32
Alfred H Evans	"	One	"	1
Eugene N Foss	"	no	"	0
Augustus P Gardner	"	thirteen	"	13
Arthur Runner	"	no	"	0
David I Walsh	"	Eighteen	"	18
George H Wrenn	"	no	"	0
Blanks		two		2
				(66)

Lieutenant Governor

Edward P Barry	had	twenty two	votes	22
David Cosgrave	"	Eighteen	"	18
August T Geuthing	"	twenty	"	20
Albert J Owen	"	three	"	3
Peter O Rourke	"	no	"	0
George Roiser Jr	"	no	"	0
Blanks		three		3
				(66)

Secretary

Frank J Donahue	had	twenty three	votes	23
William S Kenney	"	twenty	"	20
John A Nichols	"	three	"	3
Fred E Olcher	"	no	"	0
Ellen M Roberts	"	no	"	0
Russell A Wood	"	fifteen	"	15
Blanks		five		5
				(66)

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Treasurer

Charles L Burrill	had	Eighteen	votes	18
Charles E Fenner	"	no	"	0
Thomas A Fressell	"	two	"	2
Warren A Keith	"	eighteen	"	18
Fred. W Mansfield	"	twenty four	"	24
Dennis McGoff	"	no	"	0
Blanks		four		4
				(66)



## Auditor

Herbert A Brown	had	three	votes	3
Daniel Cosgrove	"	no	"	0
Octavo A LaRenou	"	nineteen	"	19
Samuel P Lumberg	"	One	"	1
Frank H Pope	"	twenty two	"	22
John E White	"	eighteen	"	18
Blanks		three		<u>3</u>
				(66)

## Attorney General

Thomas J Brighton	had	twenty five	votes	25
Freeman T Crovenett	"	three	"	3
John McCarty	"	no	"	0
H Houston Newton	"	seventon	"	17
Ingrams Paulson	"	no	"	0
James M Swift	"	seventeen	"	17
Blanks		four		<u>4</u>
				(66)

## Councillor, Eighth Dist.

Henry L Bowles	had	thirth one	votes	31
Frank A Hasmer	"	twenty two	"	22
James G Sullivan	"	two	"	2
Blanks		eleven		<u>11</u>
				(66)

## Senator Berkshire Hampshire &amp; Hamden Dist

Calvin Coolidge	had	twenty three	votes	23
Joseph H Maloney	"	twenty five	"	25
George Pittes	"	twelve	"	12
Blanks		six		<u>6</u>
				(66)

## Representative in General Court

Robert E Amnin	had	seven	votes	7
Lewis N Oakes	"	twenty eight	"	28
Blanks		seven		<u>7</u>
				(66)

## Associate Commissioners Berkshire Co

Edward W Gleason	had	twenty four	votes	24
David J O Brien	"	twenty six	"	26
Charles H Shayler	"	thirty one	"	31
Blanks		fifty one		<u>51</u>
				(132)

## District Attorney, Western Dist

Christopher T Callahan		Thirty eight	votes	38
William A King	"	no	"	0
Clarence P Giles	"	twenty six	"	26
Blanks		two		<u>2</u>
				(66)

## Register of Probate and Insolvency

Arthur M Reiner	had	forty seven	votes	47
Blanks		Nineteen		<u>19</u>
				(66)

## Amendment No One

Yes	had	twelve	votes	12
No		twenty two	"	22
Blanks		thirty two		<u>32</u>
				(66)





Amendment No 2				
Yes	had	fifteen	votes	15
No		fourteen	"	14
	Blanks	thirty seven		37
				(66)
Amendment No 3				
Yes	had	twenty one	votes	21
No	"	ten	"	10
	Blanks	thirty five		35
				(66)

Meeting adjourned without date

Attest W N Clark Town Clerk

1913

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Meeting of the Town Clerks of the several towns comprising the seventh Berkshire district at the Town Hall Lee Mass, Nov 14 1913

In accordance with the provisions of section 257 of Chapter 11th of the revised laws of this Commonwealth and the acts in amendment thereof and supplementry thereto, the Town Clerks of the several towns comprising the seventh Berkshire Representative District, met in the town office Lee, Mass. at 12 o clock M. this the 14th day of November A D 1913, it being the tenth day after the annal State election held in this Commonwealth on Nov 4th A D 1913, and the returns of the votes as cast for representative within said seventh Berkshire Representative District were compared and tabulated and the result of all said votes cast was found to be as follows.

Candidates	Annin	Delafield	Macky	McAllister	Blanks	Totals
Residence						
Becket	22	44	3	20	5	94
Lee	24	188	11	420	47	690
Lenox	24	275	70	102	21	492
Monterey	7	29	2	22	2	62
New Marlboro	26	65	1	36	10	138
Otis	4	23	0	31	8	66
Richmond	33	34	3	4	2	76
Sandisfield	7	16	1	38	4	66
Tyringham	4	20	0	36	2	62
Washington	7	23	0	4	7	41
Totals	158	717	91	713	108	1787

And we hereby certify that the foregoing is a correct and true tabulation of all votes cast for a Representative in the General Court from the seventh Berkshire District at the annal state election held on the 4th day of Nov A D 1913 as returned to us by the Selectmen of the several towns comprising said district

Attest

Mathew D E Tower	Town Clerk of	Becket
Chas H Pease	" " "	Lee
Cornelius Broderick	" " "	Lenox
Frank M Harmon	" " "	Monterey
Henry Fay	" " "	New Marlboro
Geo R Norton	" " "	Otis
Ralph C Stead	" " "	Richmond
Wesley N Clark	" " "	Sandisfield
Geo R Warner	" " "	Tyringham
John B Watson	" " "	Washington





## Special Meeting

Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
 Berkshire SS  
 To Henry T Carter Constable of Sandisfield  
 Greeting:-

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are required to notify and warn all the inhabitants of said town qualified to vote in elections and town affairs to meet at the Town Hall in said town on Friday the sixth day of February next at two o'clock P M for the following purposes

Art 1 To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting

Art 2 To see if the town will vote to authorize the Treasurer to borrow money to pay for the iron bridge which has been erected at the Sage place and to pass any vote which may be necessary to enable him to do so. and you are directed to serve this warrant by posting true and attested copies thereof one in the Post Office at New Boston one in the Post Office at Montville, one in the Post Office at South Sandisfield one on the Town Hall door & one on the door of the West Beach Plain School, seven days at least before the time of said meeting hereof fail not and of this warrant with your doings thereon make due return to the Town Clerk on or before the time of said meeting

Given under our hands this 24 day of

January A D 1914

Edman H Strickland ) Selectmen  
 Frank E Hawley ) of  
 Frank M Rugg ) Sandisfield

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Berkshire SS Sandisfield Jan 29 1914

By virtue hereof I have served the within warrant as herein directed by posting true and attested copies in five public places one in the P O at New Boston one in the P O at Montville one in the P O at So Sandisfield one on the Town house one on the West Beach Plain School House seven days at least before the time of said meeting

Henry T Carter

Constable of Sandisfield

Attest Wesley N Clark  
 Town Clerk

12 Sandisfield Feb 6th 1914

Meeting called to order  
 Horrace W Ward was elected Moderator

Voted To authorise the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow the sum of one thousand dollars to pay for the new iron bridge, and that they issue two notes of five hundred dollars each, one for a period of one year and one for a period of two years.

Voted To adjourn without date

Attest Wesley N Clark  
 Town Clerk



Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Berkshire S S

To Henry T Carter Constable of the town of Sandisfield

Greeting.

In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid you are required to notify and warn all the inhabitants of said town qualified to vote in elections and town affairs to meet at the Town Hall in said town on Monday the ninth day of March next at ten o'clock in the forenoon for the following purposes.

Viz:

- Art 1 To choose a moderator to preside at said meeting
- Art 2 To vote by ballot for town officers and terms thereof as follows for one Town Clerk for the term of one year, for one Town Treasurer for the term of one year, for three Selectmen for the term of one year, for one Assessor for the term of three years, for a board of health consisting of three for a term of one year, for one School Committee for the term of three years, for two Constables for the term of one year, for one Auditor for the term of one year. All the above named officers and the vote "yes or No" upon the license question shall be brought in on one ballot, and the ballots will be furnished the voters by the election officers at the polling place
- Art 3 To vote by ballot yes or no upon the question shall license be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors in this town
- Art 4 To hear the report of the Selectmen and all other town officers and act thereon
- Art 5 To see what method the town will adopt in regard to the collection of taxes for the ensuing year prescribe the compensation therefor and pass any vote that may be proper
- 14 Art 6 To choose all necessary town officers not named in article two.
- Art 7 To see if the town will vote to give the collector of taxes the same power as Town Treasurer have when collectors of taxes
- Art 8 To act on the Jury List as presented by the selectmen
- Art 9 To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges, for the support of schools, for the support of the poor and the repair of highways and bridges, for the ensuing year.
- Art 10 To choose an Agent to bring suits and to defend such suits as may be brought against the town
- Art 11 To raise a sum of money for state aid and soldiers relief.
- Art 12 To raise and appropriate money for opening roads in winter.
- Art 13 To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate money to be expended on a certain piece of road in addition to a sum which may be allotted to the town by the Massachusetts Highway Commission
- Art 14 To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate money for the employment of a Superintendant of Schools
- Art 15 To see if the town will petition the director of the Bureau of Statistics for an audit of its accounts in accordance with the provisions of Chap 598 of the Acts of 1910 and amendments thereto
- Art 16 To see if the town will vote to authorize the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year
- 15 Art 17 To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for a purchase of a first fire apparatus





- 15 Art 18 To see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell the standing timber on the side hill in the cemetery lot at New Boston West.

The Polls will be opened at ten o'clock A.M. and may be closed at three o'clock P.M. and you are directed to serve this warrant by posting true and attested copies thereof, one in the Post Office in New Boston and one in the Post Office in Montville in said town seven days at least before the time of said meeting

Given under our hands at Sandisfield this 27th day of February A.D. 1914.

Edman H Strickland) Selectmen  
Frank E Hawley ) of  
Frank M Rugg ) Sandisfield

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Berkshire SS

Sandisfield Feb 28th 1914

By virtue hereof I have served the within warrant as within directed by posting true and attested copies thereof in two public places one in the Post Office in New Boston and one in the Post Office in Montville seven days at least before the time of said meeting

Henry T Carter  
Constable of Sandisfield

Attest Wesley N Clark  
Town Clerk

- 16 Monday March 9th 1914  
Meeting called to order by reading warrant  
Orlo C Twining & Edwin L Deming Ballot Clerks  
Edman H Strickland was elected Moderator.  
Voted that A V Wilber be excused from the Jury list also that B W Ives be excused and Merrill Roberts & Edwin A Soule be accepted with the remainder  
Voted to give the Collector of taxes the same power that Town Treasurers  
Art 7 have when Collector of taxes  
Voted 12 To raise \$75 for opening roads in winter  
" To elect a finance Committee to transfer any funds raised for certain purposes and not used for same Horrace W Ward & Lyman H Clark were chosen as that Committee  
Voted To raise and appropriate the sum of \$400.00 for Soldiers relief Art 11  
Voted To choose an agent for the town Lyman H Clark was chosen to bring suits and defend the town Art 10  
" Voted to pass over article 17 for fire apparatus  
" To pass over article 18  
" To authorize the treasurer with the approval of the selectmen be and is hereby authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning March 1 1914 to issue a note or notes therefor payable within one year. any debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the revenue of said financial year limit of amount not to exceed three thousand dollars.  
Moved That the Chairman received bids for the collection of taxes 2% was the  
Art 5 lowest bid by Chas E Whitney who was duly elected Collector  
17 Voted To raise and appropriate the following sums of money  
Schools \$1500.00  
State & County Tax 1300 00  
Pay notes and interest 1073 50





17	Highways	1000.00
	Iron Bridge	534 00
	State Road	500 00
	Miscellaneous Expenses	700 00
	Town Officers	600 00
	Support of Poor	400 00
	Repair of Bridges	500 00
	Soldiers Relief	400 00
	Superintendant of Schools	238 00
	Repair of State Road	100 00
	Opening Roads in winter	75 00
	Medical attendance of Schools	20 00
	Railing	100 00
	Inspecting cattle	60 00
	Repair of School houses	75 00
	Library	40 00
		<u>\$9215.50</u>

March 24 1914

The Selectmen of the Town of Sandisfield hereby appoint Henry T Carter Police Officer with all the powers of Constables this appointment to be in affect for the period of one year from date

E H Strickland     )  
Michael Waters     ) Selectmen  
Winthrop B Twining) of  
Sandisfield

18	Committee on Cemeteries			
No 1	L F Shepard	No 4	Julius Brewer	
No 2	Geo Crocker	No 5	James H Roberts	
No 3	Charles Weeks	No 6	E H Strickland	

Measurers of Wood and Bark

A V Wilber   R W Fargo   Fred Whitney

Field Drivers

R W Fargo   Wm Hart   Chas Weeks

Pound Keeper

Asa Sherwood

Fence Viewers

E H Strickland

Amos Spring

Chas E Whitney

Tree Warden

H S Manley

Surveyors of Lumber

L N Clark   M Roberts   E A Soule

Committee - Town Hall

Geo Crocker

19	Committee to settle with Treasurer
	Chas E Whitney   Frank M Rugg



Library Trustees 3 yrs  
 Mary L Wohlgemuth Celesta Clark W N Clark Mrs A L Strickland

Voted to close the Polls at 3 o clock

Polls closed at three o clock ballots assorted and counted and the following is a true copy of vote being Ninety six votes cast

Town Clerk			
Wesley N Clark	had	seventy eight votes	78
Blanks		eighteen	18
			(96)

Treasurer			
Arthur L Strickland	had	seventy nine	79
Blanks		seventeen	17
			(96)

Selectmen			
Wellington B Fuller	had	twenty nine	votes 29
Edman H Strickland	"	fifty two	" 52
Winthrop B Twining	"	forty six	" 46
Arthur V Wilber	"	forty two	" 42
Michael Waters	"	fifty	" 50
Blanks		sixty nine	69
			(288)

Board of Health			
Edwin L Deming	had	seventy	votes 70
Henry S Manley	"	thirty six	" 36
Arthur V Wilber	"	fifty one	" 51
Henry Winship	"	sixty eight	" 68
Blanks		sixty three	63
			(288)

Assessor for three years			
William Fox	had	forty six	votes 46
Henry S Manley	"	Forty two	" 42
Blanks		eight	8
			(96)

School Committee 3 yrs			
Celestia C Clark	had	sixty three	votes 63
Blanks		thirty three	33
			(96)

Constables			
Lewis C Carpenter	had	fifty	votes 50
Henry T Carter	"	forty four	" 44
Wellington B Fuller	"	forty six	" 46
Henry S Manley	"	twenty five	" 25
Blanks		twenty seven	27
			(192)

Auditor			
Frank E Manchester	had	sixty four	64
Blanks		thirty two	32
			(96)

Audit of accounts			
Yes		forty four	44
No		eight	8
Blanks			44
			(96)





License	had	sixty five	65
Yes	"	fifteen	15
No		sixteen	16
Blanks			(96)

Voted to adjourn without date

Attest

Wesley N Clark Town Clerk

Primary  
Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Berkshire S S

To Lucius C Carpenter Constable of the town of Sandisfield

Greeting.

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby required to notify and warn all the inhabitants of said town who are qualified to vote in primaries to meet in the town hall Thursday the twenty second day of September 1914, at two o'clock P M for the following purposes to bring in their ballots to the primary officers for the nominations of candidates of political parties officers

Governor for the Commonwealth

Lieut Governor " " "

Receiver General " " "

Secretary " " "

Treasurer & Receiver General " "

Auditor " " "

Attorney General " " "

Representative in Congress first Cong. District

Councillor for Eighth Dist

Senator Berkshire Hampshire & Hamden Dist

Representative in General Court for seventh District

County Commissioner Berkshire County

and for the election of the following officers

District member of State Committee for each political party

Three members of the Democrat Town Committee

Committee members of the Republican and Progressive parties

Delegates to State Convention of Political parties

All the candidates and officers are to be voted for upon one ballot The polls will be open from two o'clock P M till four o'clock P M and you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof, one in the Post Office in New Boston one in the Post Office in Montville, one in the Post Office in South Sandisfield one on the door of the Town Hall, one on the School House at West Beach Plains seven days at least before the time of holding said meeting. hereof fail not and make return with your doings thereon this warrant to the Town Clerk at or before the time of holding said meeting. given under our hands this fourth day of September A D 1914

Edman H Strickland) Selectmen

Michael Waters ) of

Winship B Twining ) Sandisfield

I have served the within warrant by posting true and attested copies, one in the Post Office in Montville, one in the Post Office in New Boston one in the Post Office in South Sandisfield one on the door of Town House & one on the School House at West Beach Plain seven days before the time of said meeting

Lucius C Carpenter Constable of Sandisfield

Attest Wesley N Clark Town Clerk





23 Meeting opened and voting commenced  
D G Wohlgemuth & O C Twining Ballot Clerks  
The Democratic vote was as follows

Governor				
David I Walsh	had	three	3	
Blanks		none	$\frac{0}{3}$	
Lieut Governor				
Edward D Barry	had	three	3	
Blanks		none	$\frac{0}{3}$	
Secretary				
Frank J Donohue	had	three	3	
Blanks		none	$\frac{0}{3}$	
Treasurer				
Fred W Mansfield	had	three	3	
Blanks		none	$\frac{0}{3}$	
Auditor				
Frank H Pope	had	three	3	
Blanks		none	$\frac{0}{3}$	
Attorney General				
Thomas J Boynton	had	three	3	
Blanks		none	$\frac{0}{3}$	
Congressman				
Martin W Broderick	had	two	2	
Blanks		one	$\frac{1}{3}$	
Councillor				
Henry L Bowles	had	three	3	
Blanks		none	$\frac{0}{3}$	
Senator				
Blank				

24

Representative				
John N McAllister	had	three	3	
Blanks		none	$\frac{0}{3}$	
County Commissioner				
Thos P Riley	had	One	1	
Joseph J St James	"	"	1	
Blanks		One	$\frac{1}{3}$	
District Attorney				
James O Shea	had	One	1	
Blanks		two	$\frac{2}{3}$	
State Committee				
James O Brien	had	two	2	
Blanks		one	$\frac{1}{3}$	



24

Delegate to State Convention			
E H Strickland	had	one	1
Blanks		two	<u>2</u>
			3
Town Committee			
E H Strickland	had	one	1
E L Deming	"	"	1
Blanks		"	<u>1</u>
			3

25

Republican Primary			
Governor			
Samuel McCall	had	six	6
Lieut Governor			
Grafton U Cushing	had	one	1
August H Guetting	"	"	1
Elmer A Stevens	"	"	1
Blanks		three	<u>3</u>
			6
Secretary			
Frank L Brier	had	one	1
William L Kenney	"	none	0
Albert P Langtry	"	four	4
Blanks		one	<u>1</u>
			6
Treasurer			
Charles L Burell	had	three	3
Fred E Prince	"	two	2
Blanks		one	<u>1</u>
			6
Auditor			
Alonzo Cook	had	two	2
Joseph Monette	"	four	<u>4</u>
			6
Attorney General			
Henry C Atwell	had	two	2
John A Curtis		no	0
James A Hallowell		two	2
John J Higgins		no	0
James A Stiles		one	1
Blanks		one	<u>1</u>
			6
Congressman			
Allen T Trecbury	had	six	6
Councillor			
Chas H Wright	had	five	5
Blanks		one	<u>1</u>
			6
Senator			
Calvin Coolidge	had	six	6
Representative			
Fredck S Delafield	had	three	3
Bnanks		three	<u>3</u>
			6

26





County Commissioner				
George A Grunds	had	none		0
Arthur W Plumb	"	five		5
Henry D Sisson				0
Blanks		one		<u>1</u>
				6
District Attorney				
Clarence P Niles	had	three		3
Charles L Young	"	two		2
Blanks		one		<u>1</u>
				6
State Committee				
Ellis Ramsdell	had			6
Delegate to State Committee				
Henry S Manley	had			6
Town Committee				
Henry S Manley	had	three		3
Orlo C Twining	"	two		2
Frank E Manchester	"	two		2
Blanks		"		2

Voted to adjourn without date

Attest

Wesley N Clark Town Clerk

27 (Blank)

28 Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Berkshire S S

To Lucius C Carpenter Constable of Sandisfield

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid you are required to notify and warn all of the inhabitants of said town who are qualified to vote in elections to meet in the Town Hall on tuesday Nov 3rd 1914 at ten o clock A M for the following purposes:- to bring in their votes to the election officer for the following State officers For a Governor, Lieut Governor, Secretary, Treasurer, Auditor, Attorney General, Congressman, Councillor, Senator, Representative for the seventh District, County Commissioner for the County of Berkshire. To see if the town will vote to accept the provisions of Chap 217, Acts of 1914 an act entitled relative to vacations of laborers employed by Cities and towns. also the acceptance of Chapt 688 Acts of 1914 wntitled an act to make saturday a half holiday bor laborers workmen and mechanics employed by or in behalf of the Commonwealth and otherwise regulate their employment. Acceptance of Chap 790 Acts of 1914 entitled an act to abolish the enrollment of members of political parties and to limit the membership of ward and town committees the names of the candidates and the questions of reference to be on one ballot. the ballots will be furnished by the State. the polls will be opened at ten o clock A M and may be closed at three o clock P M. and you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof seven days at least before the time of said meeting, One on the door of the Town Hall, one in the Post Office in New Boston. hereof fail not and make return of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at of before the time of said meeting



Given under our hands this twenty third day of October A D 1914

Edman H Strickland) Selectmen  
Michael Waters ) of  
Winship B Twining ) Sandisfield

I have served the within by posting true and attested copies, one on the door of the town hall one in the Post Office in New Boston seven days at least before the time of said meeting

Lucius C Carpenter Constable of Sandisfield

Attest Wesley N Clark Town Clerk

1914

November 3rd

Meeting called to order ballot box examined

David G Wohlgenuth and Orlo C Twining were chosen Ballot Clerks

L H Clark & E L Deming Wardens

it was voted to close the polls at three o clock P M

the ballots were assorted and counted and the number of ballots cast was eighty two and were for the following officers

#### Governor

Alfred H Evans	had	eight	votes	8
Samuel W McCall	"	thirty three	"	33
Arthur E Reiner	"	none	"	0
Samuel C Roberts	"	two	"	2
Joseph Walker	"	five	"	5
David J Walsh	"	thirty	"	30
Blanks		four		<u>4</u>
				(82)

#### Lieut Governor

Edward P Barry	had	thirty one	votes	31
Grafton D Cushing	"	thirty five	"	35
Arthur Howard	"	three	"	3
James P McGuire	"	five	"	5
Sylvester McBride	"	one	"	1
Patrick Mulligan	"	none	"	0
Blanks		seven		<u>7</u>
				(82)

#### Secretary

Percy B Bull	had	two	votes	2
Frank J Donohue	"	twenty four	"	24
James W Holden	"	two	"	2
Allen P Langtry	"	thirty eight	"	38
William G Merrill	"	three	"	3
Russell A Wood	"	five	"	5
Blanks		eight		<u>8</u>
				(82)

#### Treasurer

Charles L Burrell	had	thirty six	votes	36
Joseph M Caldwell	"	one	"	1
Frederick Fosdick	"	seven	"	7
Thomas A Frissell	"	five	"	5
Karl Lindstrand	"	no	"	0
Frederick W Mansfield	"	twenty five	"	<u>25</u>
Blanks		eight		<u>8</u>
				(82)





Auditor				
Alonzo B Cook	had	thirty seven	votes	37
Daniel R Donovan	"	five	"	5
John Doryodule	"	three	"	3
Fredck Glagin	"	five	"	5
Fred E Oelcher	"	no	"	0
Frank Pope	"	twenty four	"	24
Blanks		eight		8
				(82)

Attorney General				
Henry L Atwell	had	forty	votes	40
Thomas J Boynton	"	twenty five	"	25
John Natwick	"	five	"	5
Howard B Rand	"	three	"	3
John W Wherman	"	one	"	1
William Taylor	"	no	"	0
Blanks		eight		8
				(82)

Congressman First Dist				
Martin H Burdick	had	twenty three	votes	23
Walter S Hutchins	"	one	"	1
George D Pelter	"	six	"	6
Allen T Treadway	"	forty seven	"	47
Blanks		five		5
				(82)

Counciller Eighth Dist				
Henry L Bowles	had	twenty eight	votes	28
William I King	"	one	"	1
Charles N Wright	"	forty three	"	43
Blanks		ten		10
				(82)

Senator Berkshire Hampshire & Hamden Dist				
Calvin Coolidge	had	forty five	votes	45
Ralph N Staab	"	twenty four	"	24
Blanks		thirteen		13
				(82)

Representative in General Court				
Frederick S Delafield	had	twenty one	votes	21
John McAllister	"	fifty seven	"	57
Blanks		four		4
				(82)

County Commissioner				
George A Grunds	had	forty five	votes	45
Thomas P Riley	"	twenty eight	"	28
Burdick A Stuart		two	"	2
Blanks		seven		7
				(82)

District Attorney				
George Day	had	two	votes	2
Clarence P Niles	"	forty three	"	43
James O Shea	"	twenty six	"	26
Blanks		eleven		11
				(82)

Amendment No 1				
yes	had	twenty four		24
No	"	twenty		20
Blanks		thirty eight		38
				(82)



Amendment No 2				
Yes	had	twenty seven		27
No	"	twenty three		23
	Blanks	thirty two		<u>32</u>
				(82)
Amendment No 3				
Yes	had	twenty four		24
No	"	sixteen		16
	Blanks	forty two		<u>42</u>
				(82)

Meeting adjourned without date

Attest Wesley N Clark

Town Clerk

# Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Meeting of the Town Clerks of the seventh Representative District at the Town Office  
Lee Mass. Nov 13 1914

In accordance with the provisions of Sec 257 of Chap 11th of the revised laws of this Commonwealth and the acts and amendments thereof, and supplementary thereto, the Town Clerks of the several towns comprising the seventh Berkshire Representative District, met in the Town Office in Lee Mass at 12 o clock M. this 13th day of November A D 1914, it being the tenth day after the annal State Election held in this Commonwealth on Nov 3rd A D 1914, and the returns of the votes as cast for Representative within said seventh Berkshire Representative District were compared and tabulated and the result of all said votes cast was found to be as follows.

Candidates	Fred S Delafield	John McAllister	Blanks	Total
Residence	Lenox	Lee		
Becket	68	61	6	135
Lee	203	514	21	738
Lenox	237	262	26	525
Monterey	29	35	1	65
New Marlboro	87	38	3	128
Otis	35	29	2	66
Sandisfield	21	57	4	82
Tyringham	15	39	4	58
Washington	18	11	2	31
	<u>784</u>	<u>1068</u>	<u>72</u>	<u>1924</u>

And we hereby certify that the foregoing is a correct and true tabulation of all the votes cast for Representative in the General Court from the seventh Berkshire Rep Dist annal state election held on the 3rd day of November A D 1914 as returned to us by the selectmen of the several towns comprising said district

Mathew D E Tower	Town Clerk of	Becket
Charles H Pearl	" " "	Lee
Cornelius Broderick	" " "	Lenox
F M Harmon	" " "	Monterey
Henry Fay	" " "	New Marlboro
George R Nortor	" " "	Otis
Robert C Stead	" " "	Richmond
Wesley N Clark	" " "	Sandisfield
George R Warner	" " "	Tyringham
John B Watson	" " "	Washington

Attest Wesley N Clark Town Clerk





Sandisfield Dec 28 1914

We appoint Horrace W Ward to the position to the position of Town Clerk to serve from the 31st of Dec to the annal election to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Wesley N Clark

Attest Wesley N Clark  
Town Clerk

Edman H Strickland ) Selectmen  
Michael Waters ) of  
Winship B Twining ) Sandisfield

Warrant for annual meeting Mar 8 1915

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Berkshire S S

To Lucius Carpenter constable of the town of Sandisfield

Greeting

In the name of the commonwealth aforesaid you are required to notify and warn all the inhabitants of said town qualified to vote in elections and town affairs to meet at the town hall in said town on Monday the eight day of March next at ten O'clock in the forenoon for the following purpose Viz.

- Art 1st To choose a moderator to preside at said meeting
- Art 2nd To vote by ballot for town affairs and for terms thereof, as follows for one Town Clerk for the term of one year for one Town Treasurer for the term of one year for three selectmen for the term of one year, for one Assessor for three years for one Assessor for two years for a Board of Health consisting of three for a term of one year, for one school committee for the term of three years for two Constables for a term of one year for one Auditor for a term of one year. All of the above named officers and the vote yes or no upon the license question shall be brought in on one ballot and the ballots will be furnished the voters by the election officers at the place of said meeting
- Art 3rd To vote by ballot yes or no upon the question Shall license be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors in this town
- Art 4th To hear the report of the Selectmen and all other town officers and act thereon
- 37 Art 5 To see what method the town will adopt in regard to the Collection of taxes for the ensuing year - prescribe the compensation therefor and pass any vote that may be proper
- Art 6 To choose all necessary town officers not named in article two
- Art 7 To act upon the Jury list presented by the selectmen
- Art 8 To see if the town will vote to give the collector of taxes the same powers that Town Treasurers have when they are chosen collectors of taxes.
- Art 9 To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the support of schools for the support of poor and insane and for the repairs of highways and bridges for the insuing year
- Art 10 To choose any committee or agents of the town and give them any instruction or authority
- Art 11 To raise a sum of money of state aid and soldiers relief
- Art 12 To raise and appropriate money for opening roads
- Art 13 To see if the town will raise and appropriate money for the observance of memorial day
- Art 14 To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate money to be expended on a certain piece of road in addition to a sum allotted to the town by the Massachusetts Highway Commission



- 37 Art 14 To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate money for the employment of a Superintendent of schools
- Art 16 To see what action the town will take to raise and appropriate \$35.00 for the George Washington Memorial Building at Washington, D.C.
- 38 Art 17 To see if the town will vote to allow the money willed the town by the late Mr Henry J Viets for the care of the New Boston cemetary to remain on interest until it amounts to the sum of three hundred dollars.
- Art 18 To see what action the town will take to acquire land for a new burying ground or land for an addition to the present ground at New Boston to elect any committee or agents and give them any instruction or authority
- Art 19 To see if the town will raise and appropriate money to purchase a road scraper
- Art 20 To see if the town will vote to authorize the treasurer with the aproval of the Selectmen to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning March 1st 1915 to isue note or notes therefor payable within one year any debt or debts incurred under this vote ? to be paid from the revenue of said finantial year the amount not exceed three hundred dollars
- Art 21 Shall chapter 807 of the acts of nineteen hundred and thirteen being an act to provide for compensating laborers workmen and mechanics for injuries sustained in public employment and to exempt from legal liability counties and municipal corporations which pay such compensation be accepted by the inhabitants of this town.

The polls will be open at ten o clock A M and may be closed at three o clock P M and you are directed to serve this warrant by posting true and attested copies thereof in two or more public places in said town seven days at least before the time of said meeting. Hereof fail not and of this warrant with your doings thereon make due returns to the town clerk on or before the time of said meeting

39 Given under our hands at Sandisfield this 21st day of February A D 1915

Edman H Strickland) Selectman  
Michael Waters ) of  
Winthrop B Twining) Sandisfield

I have served the within warrant by posting true and attested copies  
One in the Post Office in Montville  
One in the Post Office in New Boston  
seven days before the time of said meeting

Lucius Carpenter  
Constable of the town of  
Sandisfield

A true copy  
Attest

Horace W Ward  
Town Clerk

40 Monday March 8, 1915  
Meeting called to order by reading warrant  
Ballot clerks, O C Twining Wm F Fox  
Edman H Strickland was elected moderator





40 Art 4 Report of Selectmen and other boards Motion made & 2nd the  
report be accepted, voted.

Voted To raise and appropriate following

Opening Roads	\$75.00
School Superintendent	238 -
State Road Money	500 -
Road Scraper (new)	275
State Aid	150 -
Schools	1800 -
Health & Sanation	185 -
Charities	100 -
Highways & Bridges	2000 -
Libraries	50 -
Repair State Road	100 -
General Government	800-
Protection of Person & Property	200 -
Unclassified	50 -
Cemeteries	40 -

Art 7 Jury List voted to accept the following

Arthur V Wilber	Michael Waters
Edman H Strickland	Frank E Hawley
Lyman H Clark	Winthrop B Twining
Frank M Rugg	Charles E Whitney

Art 8 Voted to give the collector of tax the same power as the Treasurer

Art 10 Lyman H Clark chosen Town Agent voted

41 Art 12 Motion made to pay Mr Riiska for opening road last February, bill  
to be approved by the Selectmen voted

Art 13 Voted to pass over

Art 16 Voted to pass over

Art 17 Money of H J Viets to remain until it is 300.00 Voted

Art 21 Voted to pass over

Vote of thanks to Mr Edmand H Strickland & others for the excellent work  
done on the State Road the past year

Art 5 Method to collect taxes motion to receive bids for taxes

Bids for taxes Chas E Whitney 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ %

Motion W B Twining cast one vote

Chas E Whitney Tax Collector

Art 20 To borrow money etc. Voted to give Treasurer to borrow up to 3000  
if needed Voted to accept Art 20

Trustee for library for three years H S Manley

Art 18 Motion & 2nd voted that the Selectmen be given the necessary power  
to buy additional land or other land for cemetery purposes. This  
land shall be in or near New Boston

#### Committee on cemeteries

No 1	L S Shepard	No 4	Julius Brewer
No 2	Geo Crocker	No 5	James Roberts
No 3	Chas Weeks	No 6	Edman H Strickland

#### Wood & Bark Measure

A V Wilber R W Fargo Fred Whitney

#### Field Driver

R W Fargo Wm Hart Chas Weeks



Pound Keeper  
Chas Weeks

Fence Viewers  
Edman H Strickland    Amos Spring    Chas E Whitney

Tree Warden  
Henry S Manley

Surveyors of Lumber  
Lyman H Clark    M Roberts    E A Soule

Committee of Town Hall  
Geo Crocker

Voted    To close Polls at 3 P M

Meeting adjourned with date

Attest Horace W Ward Clerk

Polls close at three o'clock, ballots assorted and counted and the following is a true copy of vote being one hundred two votes cast

For	Town Clerk		
	Horace W Ward	had seventy eight	78
	Blanks		24
			<u>102</u>
	Town Treasurer		
	A L Strickland	had seventy eight	78
	Blanks	twenty four	24
	Selectmen		
	Thomas Fox	had fifty one	51
	Daniel Gage	" forty six	46
	Frank E Hawley	" forty eight	48
	Edman Strickland	" fifty one	51
	Chas E Whitney	" thirty one	31
	Blanks	two hundred sixty three	263
	Assessors for three years		
	Henry J Ives	had twenty three	23
	Edman H Strickland	" sixty two	62
	Blanks	one hundred and nineteen	
	Assessors for two years		
	Earl Van Inegen	had forty five	45
	Henry S Manley	" fifty	50
	Blanks	fifty five	
	Board of Health		
	Rufus Fargo	had fifty five	55
	Henry Dodd	" twenty eight	28
	Henry Winship	" sixty four	64
	W B Twining	" thirty three	33
	Henry S Manley	" thirty seven	37
	Chas E Whitney	" thirty seven	37
	Blanks	one hundred & twenty five	





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Constables			
Otis Beller	had	thirty nine	39
W B Fuller	"	sixty six	66
Henry S Manley	"	forty one	41
Blanks		seventy four	

School Committee			
William F Fox	had	sixty five	65
Blanks		nineteen	

Auditor			
Frank Manchester	had	fifty six	56
H D Fargo	"	thirty two	32
Blanks		one hundred & sixteen	

Shall chapter 807 of the acts 1913 be			
accepted by the inhabitants of this town			
Yes had thirty			30
No had twenty two			22
Blanks		one hundred and fifty two	

License question			
Yes had sixty one			61
No had eighteen			18
Blanks		one hundred and fifty two	

Attest  
Horace W Ward Town Clerk

Sandisfield, Mass April 21 1915

To H Raymond Hyde. We appoint you Police officer. You to hold office to March 1st 1916

Edman H Strickland)	Selectmen
Thomas Fox )	of
Frank E Hawley )	Sandisfield

Attest  
H W Ward Town Clerk

Sandisfield, Mass April 21, 1915

Mr W B Twining  
Montville, Mass.

You have been appointed inspector of animals: and the appointment has been approved by the director of the Bureau of animal Industry.

If you accept go before the town clerk and be sworn

E H Strickland) Chairman  
Selectmen of Sandisfield

Attest  
H W Ward Town Clerk

45

Sandisfield Mass May 24th 1915

To Frank E Manchester - You are appointed sealer of weights and measures. This appointment to be in effect to June 1st 1916

Edman H Strickland) Chairman, Selectmen of Sandisfield

Attest  
H W Ward Town Clerk



45

Received & Recorded, Sept 24, 1915, At 10-50 A M

Samuel R Wilber, Peter Verchot, B M Mills and Hirman Sage are appointed Police Officers. The appointment to continue in effect thirty days from date Sandisfield Sept 22nd 1915

Edman H Strickland Chairman Selectmen

Sandisfield Sept 24, 1915

Berkshire S S

By virtue of this warrant I have sworn in as special Police Samuel R Wilber, Hiram Sage, B M Mills and Peter Verchot this day

Henry S Manley, Justice of the Peace

Attest

H W Ward Town Clerk

Sandisfield, Mass. Oct 4th 1915

We appoint Burton W Ives and Samuel R Wilber to the office of Field Drivers. They to hold the office until the next annual town meeting

Edman H Strickland) Selectmen of  
Frank E Hawley ) Sandisfield

Attest

H W Ward Town Clerk

46

Primary

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Berkshire S S

To Henry S Manley, Constable of the town of Sandisfield

Greeting

In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required notify and warn the inhabitants of said town who are qualified to vote in Primaries to meet in the town hall on Tuesday the Twenty first of September, 1915 attwo o clock P M for the following purpose. To bring in their votes for the Primary Officers for the nomination of Candidates of Political Parties for the following offices

Governor for this Commonwealth

Lieutenant Governor for the Commonwealth

Secretary for the Commonwealth

Treasurer and Receiver General for the Commonwealth

Auditor for the Commonwealth

Attorney for the Commonwealth

Councillor Berkshire Hampshire and Hampden

Senator Berkshire Hampshire and Hampden Senatorial District

Representative in General Court Seventh Representative District

County Commissioner for Berkshire County

County Treasurer for Berkshire County

Sheriff for Berkshire County

and for the Election of the following officers

District Member of State Committee for each Political party for the Berkshire Hampshire and Hampden Senatorial District

Three members of the Democratic town Committee

Three members of the Republican town Committee

Three members of the Progressive Party town Committee

Delegates to State Convention of Political Parties

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All the above candidates and officers are to be voted for upon the ballot

The polls will be open from 2 o clock P M to 4 o clock P M

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof: One





47 on the town hall door, one in the Post Office in New Boston one in the Post Office in Montville, one in the Post Office in South Sandisfield, and one on the school house door at West Beech Plain seven days at least before the time of said meeting, as directed by vote of the town.

Hereof fail not and make return of this warrant with your doings thereon at the time and place of said meeting. Given under our hands this 6th day of September A D 1915

Edman H Strickland) Selectmen  
Thomas Fox ) of  
Frank E Hawley ) Sandisfield

Sandisfield, Mass. September 13, 1915  
Berkshire S S

By virtue of this the within warrant I have served the same by posting true and attested copies, one in Post Office in New Boston, Montville, and South Sandisfield, and one copy on the door of the Town Hall, and one on the School House door at West Beech Plain, seven days before the time of holding said meeting as within directed

Henry S Manley  
Constable of Sandisfield

48 Meeting opened and voting commenced  
D G Wohlgemuth and O C Twining Ballot Clerks  
The Democratic vote was as follows

Governor			
Frederick S Deitrick	had	one	1
David I Walsh	had	two	2
Blanks		none	0
Lieutenant Governor			
Edward P Barry	had		3
Blanks			0
Secretary			
Edwin A Grosvenor	had		2
Blanks		one	1
Treasurer			
Henry W Bowles	had		2
Blanks			1
Auditor			
Jacob C Morse	had		1
Blanks		two	2
Attorney General			
Joseph J Donahue	had	one	1
Howard J Williams	had	none	0
Blanks		two	2
Senator			
Henry W Warren	had	two	2
Blanks		one	1
Representative in General Court			
John H McAllister	had	one	1
Blanks		two	2



## County Commissioner

Michael H Kane	had	one	1
Blanks		two	2

## County Treas.

Samuel B Rothkoph	had	two	2
Blanks		one	1

## Sheriff

Frank G Creamer	had	one	1
Blanks		two	2

## State Comm.

William H Hefferman	had	two	2
James O Brien	had	one	1
No blanks			

## Delegate to State Convention

Blanks three			3
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## Town Comm.

E H Strickland	had	two	2
A L Strickland	had	three	3
Thomas Fox	had	two	2
Frank Hawley	had	one	1

## Republican vote as follows

Grafton D Cushing	had	two	2
Eugene N Foss	had	none	0
Samuel McCall	had	one	1
Blanks		none	0

## Lieut Governor

Calvin Coolidge	had	three	3
Guy Andrews	had	none	0
Blanks		none	

## Sec.

Alberts P Langtry	had	three	3
Blanks		none	0

## Treasurer

Charles L Burrill	had	three	3
Blanks		none	0

## Auditor

Edward C R Bagley	had	two	2
Alonzo B Cook	had	one	1
Samuel W George	had	none	0
Blanks		none	0

## Councillor

Charles H Wright	had	three	3
Blanks		none	0





Senator		
Albert B Clark	had	three 3
John B Hull	had	none 0
Blanks		none 0

Representative in General Court		
John E Merritt	had	two 2
Blanks		one 1

County Comm.		
John H C Church	had	three 3
Blanks		none 0

County Treas.		
Henry A Brewster	had	three 3
Blanks		none 0

Sheriff		
John Nicholson	had	three 3
Blanks		none 0

State Comm.		
T Ellis Ramsdell	had	three 3
Blanks		none 0

Delegate State Convention		
H S Manley	had	one 1
Blanks		two 2

Town Comm.		
H S Manley	had	three 3
O C Twining	had	two 2
F E Manchester	had	three 3
L H Clark	had	one 1

Voted to adjourn without date

Attest H W Ward Town Clerk

# Auctioneers License Oct 2nd 1915

No 1

This is to certify, Henry S Manley of the Town of Sandisfield has been duly Licensed by the board of Selectmen to sell at Public auction any goods or chattels real or personal estate to law from this date until the first day of Nov 1916 in said Town of Sandisfield except on occasions of such sales as are prohibited by law to be held: In other places within the State

Edman H Strickland) Selectmen  
 Frank E Hawley ) of  
 ) Sandisfield

Attest  
 H W Ward  
 Town Clerk



Berkshire S S

To Henry S Manley constable of the Town of Sandisfield

Greeting

In the name of the Commonwealth you are required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town of who are qualified to vote in State Election to meet in town hall on Tuesday the second day of November 1915 at ten o'clock A M for the following purposes to bring in their votes to the Election officers for the election of the following officers.

Governor for the Commonwealth

Lieutenant Governor for the Commonwealth

Secretary of the Commonwealth

Treasurer and Receiver General for the Commonwealth

Auditor for the Commonwealth

Attorney General for the Commonwealth

Councillor for the Berkshire Hampshire and Hampden Councillor District

Senator for the Berkshire Hampshire and Hampden Senatorial District

For Representative in General Court for the seventh Representative District

For the election of the following County Officers

County Commissioner for the County of Berkshire

County Treasurer for the county of Berkshire

County Sheriff for the county of Berkshire

All of the above State Officers to be elected for a term of one year. The County Officers to be elected for a term of three years, except Sheriff he for a term of five years.

To Vote on the amendment to the Constitution Shall the proposed amendment to the constitution empowering the general court to authorize the taking of land to relieve congestion of population and to provide homes for citizens by approved and ratified also shall the following proposed amendment to the constitution enabling women to vote be approved and ratified?

Shall the following proposed amendment to the constitution relative to the taxation of incomes and the granting of reasonable exemptions, be approved and ratified

All of the above officers and amendment are to be voted for upon one ballot

The Polls will be opened at ten o'clock a m and may be closed at three o'clock P M

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof one on the Town Hall door, One in the Post Office at New Boston hereof fail not and make return of this warrant with your doings thereon at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this 20th day of October A D 1915.

Edman H Strickland) Selectmen

Thomas Fox ) of

Frank E Hawley ) Sandisfield

Sandisfield, Mass. October 25th 1915

Berkshire SS

By virtue of this the within warrant I have served the same by posting up true and attested copies one on the Town Hall door and one in the Post Office in New Boston seven days before the time of holding said as within directed

Henry S Manley

Constable of Sandisfield





Sandisfield Nov 2, 1915

Meeting called to order

Orlo C Twining and David Wohlgemuth were appointed Ballot Clerks

Ballot box examined by election officers

voting commenced. Polls closed at three o'clock ballots assorted and counted

The whole number cast was sixty six and were for the following officers

## Governor

N B Clark	had	2
W S Hutchins	"	1
S W McCall	"	36
Peter O'Rourke	"	0
Wm Shaw	"	0
D I Walsh	"	23
Blanks		<u>4</u>
		66

## Lieutenant Governor

E P Barry	had	23
Calvin Coolidge		35
A H Evans		1
James Hayes		0
C R Lawrence		2
S P Levenberg		1
Blanks		<u>4</u>
		66

## Secretary

E A Grosvenor		21
A P Langtry		32
T J Maher		0
M E Shroule		2
W O Wylie		2
Blanks		<u>9</u>
		66

## Treasurer

H L Bowles		25
C L Burrill		33
C E Fenner		1
Wm E Marks		2
J P McNally		0
Blanks		<u>5</u>
		66

## Auditor

A B Cook		35
J H Holden		1
H C Iram		1
J C Morse		19
Wm G Rogers		2
Blanks		<u>8</u>
		66

## Attorney General

H C Attwill		36
Frank Anchter		2
Joseph D Joyce		20
John McCarthy		1
Wm Taylor		1
Blanks		<u>6</u>
		66



Councillor		
William Kurth		3
C H Wright		46
Blanks		17
		<u>66</u>
Senator		
J B Hull		42
H W Warner		19
Blanks		5
		<u>66</u>
Representative in General Court		
J H McAllister		31
J E Merritt		28
Blanks		7
		<u>66</u>
County Commissioner		
John H C Church		48
Blanks		18
		<u>66</u>

County Treasurer		
Henry A Brewster		41
S B Rothkopf		18
Blanks		7
		<u>66</u>
Sheriff		
F S Creamer		20
John Nicholson		40
Blanks		6
		<u>66</u>
Amendment Pertaining to Population		
Yes		25
No		16
Blanks		16
		<u>66</u>
Shall Women Vote		
Yes		18
No		37
Blanks		11
		<u>66</u>
Shall Taxation of incomes be Approved		
Yes		24
No		14
Blanks		28
		<u>66</u>

Meeting adjourned without date

Attest

H W Ward  
Town Clerk





Meeting of the Town Clerks of the Several Towns Comprising the Seventh Berkshire Representative District at the Town Office Lee, Mass. Nov 12th 1915

In accordance with the provisions of Section 257 of Chapter 11th of the revised laws of this Commonwealth and the acts in amendment thereof and supplementary thereto, the Town Clerks of the several towns comprising the Seventh Berkshire Representative District met in the Town Office, Lee, Mass. at 12 o'clock M. this the 12th day of November A D 1915 it being the tenth day after the annual State Election held in this Commonwealth on November 2nd A D 1915. And the returns of the votes as cast for Representative within said seventh Berkshire Representative District were compared and tabulated and the result of all said votes cast was found to be as follows

Candidates (	McAllister	Merritt	A B Clark)	Blanks	Totals
Residence (	Lee	Otis	Lee )		
Becket	69	57		24	150
Lee	525	118		79	722
Lenox	369	119	1	52	541
Monterey	38	14		16	68
New Marlborough	66	58		0	124
Otis	26	42		18	86
Richmond	32	45		18	95
Sandisfield	31	28		7	66
Tyringham	40	9		17	66
Washington	13	25		4	42
	<u>1209</u>	<u>515</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>235</u>	<u>1960</u>

And we hereby certify that the foregoing is a correct and true tabulation of all the votes cast for a Representative in the General Court from the seventh Berkshire Representative District, at the annual State Election held on the 2nd day of November, A D 1915 as returned to us by the Selectmen of the several towns comprising said district.

Attest

Willis H Ballue	Town Clerk of	Becket
Charles H Pease	" " "	Lee
Cornelius Brodrick	" " "	Lenox
F M Hannon	" " "	Monterey
Henry Fay	" " "	New Marlborough
George R Norton	" " "	Otis
Philip E Canning	" " "	Richmond
Horace W Ward	" " "	Sandisfield
Geo R Warren	" " "	Tyringham
John B Watson	" " "	Washington

Attest

H W Ward Town Clerk



Sandisfield, Mass. Dec 9th, 1915

We the undersigned Selectmen of Sandisfield and New Marlborough have this day surveyed the line between the Town of Sandisfield and New Marlborough and set up the bounds on said line as the law directs.

Edman H Strickland ) Selectmen  
 Frank E Hawley ) Sandisfield  
 Alva B Brewer ) Selectmen  
 Robert H Bradley ) New Marlborough

Attest H W Ward Town Clerk

Sandisfield, Mass. Nov 2th 1915

We the undersigned Selectmen of Sandisfield and Otis have this day run the line between the town of Sandisfield and Otis, and set up the bounds on said line as the law directs.

Edman H Strickland ) Selectman  
 Sandisfield  
 Fred D Webb ) Selectman  
 Otis

Attest H W Ward Town Clerk

61 The Board of Selectmen of the Town of Sandisfield hereby grants a license to Daniel W Gage to be a carrier of Intoxicating Liquors in said town of Sandisfield.

This License is issued in Conformity with the authority granted to the Selectmen of towns by chapter 102 of the revised laws and amendments thereto and is to remain in force until the first day of May 1916, unless sooner revoked for violation of the laws of the Commonwealth respecting the licensing of carrier.

Witness our hands this third day of January A D 1916.

(seal) Edman H Strickland ) Selectmen  
 (seal) Thomas Fox ) of  
 (seal) Frank E Hawley ) Sandisfield

Attest H W Ward Town Clerk

Sandisfield Feb 3rd 1916

Town Clerk of Sandisfield  
 Republican Town Committee organized  
 Chairman H S Manley  
 Secretary F E Manchester  
 Treasurer O C Twining

Attest H W Ward Town Clerk

62 A V Wilber January 13, 1916

I am pleased to say that the State Forester has this day approved your appointment as town forest warden

If you are not already fully equipped for handling your fires, I wish you would take the matter up with your selectmen and see if the coming town meeting will not appropriate at least a small amount for buying such equipment. If your valuation is less than \$1,750,000 the state will reimburse you one half on the same, not to exceed a total of \$250.00

M C Hutchins

Attest H W Ward Town Clerk





Warrant for annual meeting Mar 13 1916  
Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Berkshire SS.

To Henry S Manley constable of the town of Sandisfield

Greeting

In the name of the Common-

wealth aforesaid you are required to notify and warn all the inhabitants of said town qualified to vote in elections and town affairs to meet at the Town Hall in said town Monday the thirteenth day of March at ten o clock in the forenoon for the following purposes Viz.

- Art 1st To choose a moderator to preside at said meeting.
- Art 2 To vote by ballot for town officers and for terms thereof as follows  
For one Town Clerk for the term of one year - for one town treasurer for the term of one year - for three selectmen for the term of one year - for one assessor for the term of three years - for on school committee for the term three years - for two constables for the term of one year - for one auditor for the term of one year - all of the above named officers and the vote yes or no upon the license question shall be brought in on one ballot - and the ballots will be furnished the voters by the election officers at the polling place
- Art 3 To vote by ballot yes or no upon the question shall license be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors in this town?
- Art 4 To hear the report of the Selectmen and all other town officers and act thereon
- 64 Art 5 To see what method the town will adopt in regard to the collection of taxes for the ensuing year - prescribe the compensation therefor and pass any vote that may be proper
- Art 6 To choose all necessary town officers not named in artical two
- Art 7 To act on the Jury list presented by the Selectmen
- Art 8 To see if the town will vote to give the collector of taxes the same power that Town Treasurer have when they are chosen collectors of taxes
- Art 9 To baize and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges, for the support of schools, for the support of the poor, and for the repair of highways and bridges for the ensuing year
- Art 10 To choose any committee or agents of the town and give them any instructions or authority
- Art 11 To raise a sum of money for state aid
- Art 12 To raise and appropriate money for opening roads in Winter
- Art 13 To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate money to be expended on a certain piece of road in addition to a sum which may be allotted to the town by the Massachusetts Highway Commission
- Art 14 To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate money for the employment of a Superintendent of schools
- Art 15 To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of two hundred dollars to be expended on the Town Hill road in connection with the two hundred dollars offered by George A Stevens
- 65 Art 16 To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate money to shingle the shed at the Town Hall
- Art 17 To see if the town will vote to discontinue the road south of the John Spring place leading westerly from the Beech Plain road to the road leading from the Tanhouse corner to Montville Also another piece leading easterly from the house of Mary J Beach to the road leading from the Lewis corner easterly to the town line



- 65 Art 18 To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purchase of two safes one for the Town Clerk and one for the collector of taxes
- Art 19 To see if the town will vote to authorize the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of the revenue of the current financial year

The Polls will be opened at ten o'clock A M and may be closed at three o'clock P M and you are directed to serve this by posting true and attested copies thereof one in the post office in New Boston, One in the post office in Montville seven days at least before the time of said meeting. Hereof fail not and of this warrant with your doings thereon make due return to the Town Clerk on or before the time of said meeting.

Given under our hands at Sandisfield this 18th day of February A D 1916

Edman H Strickland) Selectmen  
Thomas Fox ) of  
Frank E Hawley ) Sandisfield

- 66 Sandisfield, Mass February 26th 1916  
Berkshire SS

By virtue of this the within warrant I have served the same by posting true and attested copies one in Post Office in Montville and one in Post Office in New Boston seven days before the day and time of holding said meeting

H S Manley Constable

Attest H W Ward Town Clerk

- 67 Monday, March 13, 1916  
Meeting called to order by the clerk  
E H Strickland appointed moderator  
Amos Spring and Orlo Twining appointed ballot clerks  
H S Manley appointed gate keeper by Selectmen  
Polls opened

Voted to raise and appropriate the following sums of money

To	shingle Town Hall Shed	\$ 40.00
	Town Hill Road	200 00
	School Superintendant	188 00
	State Road	500 00
	Opening Roads in Winter	450 00
	two safes	150 00
	Schools	1900 00
	Poor	400 00
	Highways and Bridges	2000 00
	Gen Gov	800 00
	Protection Persons & Property	150 00
	Unclassified	45 00
	Cemeteries	75 00
	Repair of stone road	800 00
	Libraries	40 00

Voted to discontinue the roads described in article 17

L H Clark chosen Town Agent

Voted to accept the jury list as presented by the selectmen

Voted to accept article 8





Voted to instruct state road builder to spend part of the money for repairs of same for oiling purposes

Voted that the town treasurer with the approval of the selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning Jan 1st 1916 and to issue a note or notes thereof payable within one year, andy debt or debts incurred under this note to be paid from the revenue of said financial year. sum not to exceed \$2500

Comm. Cemetery

L S Shepard Geo Crocker Clas Weeks Julius Brewer James Roberts  
E H Strickland

Wood & Bark Measurers

A V Wilber R W Fargo Fredrick Whitney

Field Drivers

Geo Crocker Wm Hart Truman Ives

Pound Keeper

Howard Spring

Fence Viewers

E H Strickland Amos Spring Chas Whitney

Tree Warden

H S Manley

Comm. Town Hall

Geo Crocker

Surveyors of Lumber

L H Clark Morrell Roberts E A Soule

Earl InWegen voted tax collector  $2\frac{1}{2}$  per cent also given the same power as the treasurer when he collects

Voted to accept the town report

Voted to close the polls at three o clock P M

Meeting adjourned without date

Number of votes cast 89

Town Clerk H W Ward	had	75
Blanks		14
Treasurer H W Ward	"	71
Blanks		18
Selectmen A V Wilber	"	40
E H Strickland	"	14
Thomas Fox	"	50
F E Hawley	"	55
Blanks		71

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69	Assessors C E Whitney	had	28
	E Van Inwegen	"	58
	Blanks	"	3
70	Constables H S Manley	"	31
	D W Gage	"	32
	B M Mills	"	46
	W B Fuller	"	46
	Blanks	"	15
	School Committee M S Hawley	"	63
	Blanks		26
	Auditor O H Wilber Jr	"	66
	Blanks		23
	Shall license be granted Yes	"	60
	No	"	18
	Blanks		11

Attest H W Ward Town Clerk

Sandisfield Mass Mar 14 1916

We appoint Henry Dodd game warden for the ensuing year

Frank E Hawley )  
 Thomas Fox )  
 Edman H Strickland)

Attest H W Ward Town Clerk

Sandisfield Aug 29th 1916

We the Selectmen of Sandisfield declare the office of collector of taxes vacant

Edman H Strickland) Selectmen  
 Frank E Hawley ) of  
 ) Sandisfield

Sandisfield Aug 30th 1916

We appoint Charles E Whitney tax collector for the year 1916, the office being vacant by the failure of Earl W Van Inwegen to qualify

Edman H Strickland) Selectmen  
 Frank E Hawley ) of  
 ) Sandisfield

71 License if granted to Henry S Manley to sell real and personal property at public auction in the town of Sandisfield or in other places in the state of Massachusetts such sales to be conducted under the laws of the state pertaining thereto.

Sandisfield October 30, 1916  
 E H Strickland  
 acting Chairman  
 Selectmen





Meeting opened by reading warrant

O C Twining & Amos Spring Ballot Clerks

Votes cast 15      The vote was for the following

Gov.

McCall	had	3
Cole	"	5
Mansfield	"	2
Blanks		5
		15

Lieut Gov

Coolidge	had	2
Riley	"	5
Blanks		8

Sec.

Langtry	had	2
Egger	"	6
Blanks		7

Treas

Burrill	had	2
Teague	"	5
Blanks		8

Aud

Brown	had	1
Cook	"	1
Souilhire	"	7

Att Gen

Attwell	"	1
Donahue	"	7
Blanks		7

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Sen in Congress

Lodge	had	1
Fitzgerald	"	6
Blanks		8

Counsellor

Wright	had	2
Blanks		13

Congressman

Treadway	had	3
Collins	"	5
Blanks		7

Sen

Hull	had	2
Blanks		13



74 Rep  
 Searing had 1  
 Adams " 8  
 Blanks 6

County Comm  
 Loyd had 1  
 Lockwood " 6  
 Blanks 8

Ass Comm  
 Bond had 1  
 Tillotson " 1  
 Blanks 13

75 Dist Att  
 Barker had 2  
 Brownson " 0  
 Dearborn " 0  
 Talbot " 0  
 Young " 0  
 Ely " 5  
 Moore " 3

Clerk of Courts  
 Gamwell had 3  
 Morton " 0  
 Hall " 5

Reg Deeds  
 Douglas had 8  
 Blanks 7

State Com  
 Ramsdell had 2  
 Heffernan " 2  
 O'Brien " 3

Del State Com  
 H S Manley " 1

Town Comm  
 E H Strickland " 4  
 A S Strickland " 5  
 Frank Hawley " 4  
 T Fox " 5  
 H Fargo " 5  
 H J Ives " 4  
  
 H S Manley " 2  
 O C Twining " 2  
 F E Manchester " 2

Polls closed & Meeting adjourned  
 Attest H W Ward  
 Clerk





Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Berkshire SS

To Wellington B Fuller Constable of the Town of Sandisfield

Greeting

In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid you are required to notify and warn all of the inhabitants of said Town of Sandisfield qualified to vote in National and State elections, to meet in the town hall on November seventh at ten o'clock A M to bring in their votes to the election officers For President of the United States and Vice President For two Presidential electors at large. For a Presidential elector for the Berkshire Hampden and Hampshire district

For Governor of Commonwealth

For Lieutenant Governor of the Commonwealth

For Secretary of the Commonwealth

For Treasurer and Receiver General of the Commonwealth

For Auditor of the Commonwealth

For Attorney General of the Commonwealth

For Senator in Congress

For Congressman first district

For State Senator Berkshire Hampshire and Hampden district

For Representative in General Court sixth district

For Councillor eighth district

For County Commissioner Berkshire County

For Associate Commissioner for Berkshire County

For District Attorney Western district

For Clerk of Courts Berkshire

For Register of Deeds Berkshire Southern District

For see if the town will vote to accept the provisions of chap 98 General Acts of entitled an act to ascertain and carry out the will of the people relative to the calling and holding of a constitutional convention acceptance of chap 104 General acts of 1916 entitled an Act to make the first day of January known as New Years Day a legal holiday.

Acceptance of chap 179 General acts of 1916 entitled an Act to prevent the voters of one political party from voting in the primaries of another political party.

of public Policy under Chap 819 acts of 1913, shall the Representative or Representatives from this district be instructed to support the adoption of an amendment to the constitution of the Commonwealth providing for some form of the initiative and referendum which shall give to the voters the power to accept or reject statutes and constitutional amendments proposed to the Legislature by petition of a substantial number of Citizens but rejected by it, and also the power upon such petition, to reject measures barred by the Legislature.

Ballots will be provided at the polling place. The Polls may be closed at three o'clock P M. You are to serve this warrant by posting true and attested copies. One on the town hall door. One in the Post Office in New Boston seven days at least before the time of said meeting.

Hereof fail not and make return of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at or before the time of said meeting.

Given under our hands this twenty sixth day of October A D 1916

) Selectmen  
Frank E Hawley ) of  
Edman H Strickland) Sandisfield

By virtue of this warrant I have copied and posted two. One in New Boston Post Office One on town hall door

W B Fuller Constable

Twenty Eighth of October 1916



Meeting opened by reading warrant

O C Twining & Amos Spring appointed ballot clerks

Polls opened and voting began

Ballots cast no. 89

#### Electors Pres & Vice Pres

Benson & Kirkpatrick	had 1
Hanly & Landrith	" 0
Hughes & Fairbanks	" 37
Reimer & Harrison	" 0
Nilson & Marshall	" 46
Blanks	<u>5</u>
	89

#### Governor

J Hayes	had 2
C R Lawrence	" 2
S N McCall	" 44
F W Mansfield	" 33
D A While	" 1
Blanks	<u>7</u>
	89

#### Lieu. Governor

C Coolidge	had 44
A H Evans	" 1
S J McBride	" 1
T J Maher	" 2
T Riley	" 30
Blanks	<u>11</u>
	89

#### Secretary

T F Brennan	had 1
L R Egger	" 30
L A Grunt	" 1
A P Langtry	" 41
Blanks	<u>16</u>
	89

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#### Treasurer

C L Burrill	had 39
F E Chelshe	" 1
E R Sheldon	" 1
H N Teague	" 32
Blanks	<u>16</u>
	89

#### Auditor

J Bearak	had 1
F Bohmbash	3
A B Cook	36
J B N Soulline	29
Blanks	<u>20</u>
	89





80	Attorney General		
	H C Attwell	had	40
	J J Donahue	"	31
	J Jiskaa	"	1
	J W Sherman	"	1
	Blanks		<u>16</u>
			89
	Sen in Congress		
	J Fitzgerald	had	33
	H C Lodge	"	38
	Wm McDonald	"	2
	Blanks		<u>16</u>
			89
	Congressman first Dist		
	T C Collins	had	31
	W S Hutchins	"	1
	A T Treadway	"	46
	Blanks		<u>11</u>
			89
	Councillor 8th Dist		
	J H Dudley	had	33
	T F Lorensen	"	2
	C H Wright	"	36
			<u>18</u>
			89
81	Senator Berk Hamp & Hampden		
	John Hull		50
	Blanks		<u>39</u>
			89
	Rep in Gen Court 6th Berkshire		
	C Adams	had	44
	C Geibil	"	1
	C Searing	"	35
	Blanks		<u>9</u>
			89
	County Comm. Berk County		
	S L Lloyd	had	37
	D Lockwood	"	33
	Blanks		<u>19</u>
			89
	Ass. Comm. Berk County		
	J Bond		40
	R Tillotson		33
	District Attorney Western Dist.		
	W G Bronson		38
	J Ely		35
	E Stoddard		1
	Blanks		<u>15</u>
			89
	Clerk of Courts		
	J H Gamwell	had	33
	N C Hull	"	25
	Blanks		<u>31</u>
			89



81	Reg of Deeds Berk South. Dist	
	M Douglas	had 60
	Blanks	29
		<u>89</u>
82	Shall constitution of Commonwealth be revised etc.	
	Yes	14
	No	22
	Blanks	53
		<u>89</u>
	Shall Jan 1st be legal Holiday etc	
	Yes	38
	No	12
	Blanks	39
		<u>89</u>
	Shall an act be passed so voters etc	
	Yes	17
	No	19
	Blanks	53
		<u>89</u>
	Shall Rep. be instructed etc	
	Yes	20
	No	15
	Blanks	44
		<u>89</u>

Polls closes -- Ballots Counted  
Meeting adjourned  
Attest H W Ward Clerk

83 Canvass of Votes For Representative District No. 6  
Berkshire SS. Commonwealth of Massachusetts

The undersigned clerks of the several towns comprising the Representative District No. Six (6) in said County, met at the Town Clerk's office in Great Barrington, at twelve o clock noon, on Friday the 17th day of november 1916 and hereby certify they did then and there examine all the attested copies of the records of the votes of the aforesaid mentioned towns at their several meetings on Tuesday, November 7, 1916 the result being as follows:

No of votes cast 2522	
For Peter H Adams of Stockbridge	
In Gt Barrington	696
" Stockbridge	192
" Sheffield	165
" West Stockbridge	111
" Egremont	67
" Alford	41
" Mt. Washington	2
" Sandisfield	44
" New Marlboro	94
	<u>1412</u>
For C Edgar Searing of Stockbridge	
In Gt Barrington	460
" Stockbridge	200
" Sheffield	103





83	" West Stockbridge	96
	" Egremont	54
	" Alford	16
	" Mt Washington	19
	" Sandisfield	35
	" New Marlboro	72
		<u>1055</u>

84	For Charles Girbel of Sheffield	
	In Gt Barrington	27
	" Stockbridge	17
	" Sheffield	7
	" West Stockbridge	2
	" Egremont	0
	" Alford	0
	" Mt Washington	0
	" Sandisfield	1
	" New Marlboro	1
		<u>55</u>

And the said Peter I Adams was declared elected  
Attest

Edward Relley	Town Clerk	Great Barrington
Edwin Schilling	" "	Stockbridge
Henry C Clark	" "	Sheffield
Wm H Howland	" "	West Stockbridge
Beo Boice	" "	Egremont
S E Millard	" "	Alford
Alfred D Sloan	" "	Mt Washington
Horace W Ward	" "	Sandisfield
Henry Fay	" "	New Marlboro

Attest

H W Ward Clerk Sandisfield

85 November 28th 1916  
To Frank E Hawley, Chairman board of Selectmen  
I hereby resign the office of Town Clerk also the office of Treasurer. I request you to take immediate charge of the books and papers pertaining to said office

H W Ward Clerk & Tres.

Attest H W Ward Clerk

Town of Sandisfield

December 1st 1916  
E H Strickland is appointed Town Clerk and Treasurer to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of the offices by H W Ward.

Attest H W Ward Clerk

Frank E Hawley ) Selectmen of  
Edman H Strickland) Sandisfield

86 Town Clerk of Sandisfield. Democratic Town Committee Organized Jan 8th 1917

Thomas Fox, chairman	New Boston , Mass.
Herbert D Fargo, Secretary	Montville "
Arthur L Strickland, Treasurer	New Boston Mass
	E W Strickland, Town Clerk



## Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Berkshire SS.

To Wellington B Fuller, Constable of town of Sandisfield.

Greeting.

In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid you are required to notify and warn all the inhabitants of said town qualified to vote in State elections and town affairs to meet at the Town Hall in said town, one Monday the twelveth day of March next at ten o'clock in the forenoon for the following purposes, Viz.

Art 1 To choose a moderator to preside at said meeting

Art 2 To vote by ballot for town officers and for terms thereof as follows - for one Town Clerk for the term of one year - for one Town Treasurer for the term of one year - for three Selectmen for the term of one year for one assessor for a term of three years - for one School Committee for the term of three years - for two Constables for the term of one year - for one Auditor for the term of one year - All of the above named officers and their vote yes or no upon the license question shall be brought in on one ballot - and the ballots will be furnished the voters by Election officers at the polling place.

Art 3 To vote by ballot yes or no upon the question: Shall license be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors in this town?

88 Art 4 To hear the report of the Selectmen and all other Town officers and act thereon

Art 5 To see what method the town will adopt in regard to the collection of taxes for the ensuing year, prescribe the compensation therefor and pass any vote that may be proper

Art 6 To choose all necessary town officers not named in article two

Art 7 To act upon the jury list presented by the Selectmen

Art 8 To see if the town will vote to give the collector of taxes the same power town Treasurers have when they are chosen collectors of taxes

Art 9 To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges - for the support of schools - for the support of the poor -

Art 10 To choose any committee or agent of the town and give them any instruction or authority

Art 11 To raise a sum of money for State Aid

89 Art 12 To see if the town will vote to discontinue the road from the east corner of the lane leading to James Roberts old place from said corner easterly to the site of the rock School house in Free quarter - Also another piece of road leading westerly from the corner of the lane near the Ed Stratton place to the house of John Handel

Art 13 To see if the town will raise and appropriate a sum of money to purchase a safe for the use of the town treasurer





- 89 Art 14 To raise and appropriate money for opening roads in winter
- Art 15 To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate money for the employment of a superintendent of schools
- Art 16 To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to be expended on a certain piece of road in addition to a sum which may be allotted to the town by the Massachusetts Highway Commission
- Art 17 To see if the town will vote to authorize the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of the revenue of the current financial year

The Polls will be opened at ten o'clock a m and may be closed at three O'clock P M

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting true and attested copies thereof - one in the post office in New Boston - one in the post office in Montville one on the town hall door seven days at least before the time of said meeting.

90 Hereof fail not and of this warrant with your doings thereon make due return to the town clerk on or before the time of said meeting.

Given under our hands at Sandisfield this 28th day of February A D 1917

Frank E Hawley ) Selectmen of  
Edman H Strickland) Sandisfield

By virtue of this warrant I have copied and posted the same, one at New Boston Post Office, one at Montville Post Office, and one on Town Hall Door

Wellington B Fuller Constable

Attest Elisha L Sawyer Town Clerk

91 Monday March 12, 1917

Meeting called to order by the clerk

E L Sawyer appointed clerk pro tem

F M Rugg appointed moderator

Polls opened

Voted to raise and appropriate the following sums of money

For safe for Treasurer	\$70
Repair of highways and bridges	2500
Support of Schools	2000
Repair of school houses	100
Support of poor	600
For State aid	175
For opening of roads in winter	300
For superintendent of schools	200
For general government	900
For protection of persons and property	75
For unclassified	50
For repair of stone road	200
For library	50
For health and sanitation	175
To pay interest	120
For a certain piece of road in addition to a certain sum which may be allotted to the town by the Massachusetts Highway Commission	500



- 91 Voted To proceed with ballot as printed  
Voted To hear report of selectmen  
Voted To accept report of Selectmen
- 92 Motion To accept all other reports as printed  
Voted To lay above motion on table
- Voted That chair receive proposals in regard to collecting taxes
- Voted That A V Wilbur be excused from jurors list  
Voted That C E Whitney be elected to fill above vacancy
- Voted That F E Hawley be excused from jurors list  
Voted That J M Welch be elected to above vacancy
- Voted That L H Clark be excused from jurors list  
Voted That Morrell Roberts be elected to fill above vacancy
- Voted That remainder of jurors list be accepted
- Voted To give tax collector same power as treasurer when closen as collector
- Voted That L H Clark serve as town agent
- Voted To discontinue road from east corner of land leading to James Roberts old place from said corner easterly to the site of the roack school house in Free quarters.
- Voted To pass over that part of article twelve in regard to discontinuing another piece of road leading westerly from the corner of the lane near the Ed Stratton place to the house of John Handel
- Voted To buy a safe for use of town Treasurer
- Voted To appropariate \$2000 for repair of highways and bridges  
Voted To rescind above vote
- 93 Voted That the town treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen, be, and hereby is authorized to borrow money from time to time, not to exceed \$2000 in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1917, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, any debt or debts incurred under this note to be paid from revenue of said financial year

#### Committee on Cemeteries

C F Shephard	James Roberts	Julius Brewer
Charles Weeks	Geo Crocker	E H Strickland

#### Measurers of Wood and Bark

Amos Spring	R W Fargo	Michael Waters
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#### Field Drivers

Chas B Soule	William Hart	Truman Ives
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#### Pound Keeper

Howard Spring





93 Fence Viewers  
E H Strickland Michael Waters Chas E Whitney

Committee for Care of Town Hall  
Geo Crocker

Surveyors of lumber  
L H Clark Morrell Roberts E A Soules

94 Tree Warden  
Voted To instruct Chas Whitney to cast one ballot for H S Manley  
The ballot was cast and Mr Manley was elected

Library Trustee  
Voted That A V Wilbur be authorized to cast one ballot for four  
Ballot cast and Mr L H Clerk, W N Clark and Mary L Wohlgemuth  
were elected

Collector of Taxes  
Voted That E H Strickland be authorized to cast one ballot for Chas E  
Whitney. The ballot was cast and Mr Whitney was elected

Voted That polls be closed at three o'clock

Polls closed at three o'clock, ballots assorted and counted and the following is a  
true copy of vote, ninety-four ballots being cast

For	Town Clerk	Elisha L Sawyer	had	Eighty-three	83	
		Blanks		eleven	11	
"	Town Treasurer	Frank M Rugg	had	Seventy-nine	79	
		Blanks			15	
"	Selectmen	Frank M Rugg	had	Seventy-four	74	
		Chas B Soule	had	sixty-eight	68	
		Edman H Strickland	had	forty-five	45	
		Thomas Fox	had	forty-nine	49	
		Blanks		forty-six	46	
95	For	Assessor	Henry S Manley	had	forty-two	42
			Herbert D Fargo	had	fifty-one	51
			Blanks	one	1	
	"	School Committee	Celestia C Clark	had	forty-five	45
			Herbert D Fargo	had	thirty-eight	38
			Blanks	eleven	11	
	"	Constables	William F Fox	had	forty-five	45
			Wellington B Fuller	had	fifty-nine	59
			Henry S Manley	had	forty-eight	48
			Blanks		thirty-six	36
	"	Auditor	Edson P Twining	had	seventy	70
			Blanks		twenty-four	24



95	For License Question	Yes	had	fifty-five	55
		No	had	twenty-eight	28
		Blanks		eleven	11

Voted to adjourn without date. Adjourned

Attest Elisha L Sawyer, Town Clerk

The undersigned Selectmen of Sandisfield hereby appoint Charles B Soule as Superintendent of Streets for the ensuing year:

Attest Elisha L Sawyer	F M Rugg ) Selectmen
Town Clerk	C B Soule ) of
	Thomas Fox ) Sandisfield

96 Warrant for Constitutional Convention Primary  
The Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
Berkshire SS.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Sandisfield

Greeting

In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town who are qualified to vote in Primaries to meet in the Town Hall Tuesday, the Third Day of April, 1917, at one o'clock P M, for the following purposes:

To bring in their votes to the Primary Officers for the Nomination of Candidates for Delegates to the Constitutional Convention - 32 Delegates at large

All the above candidates are to be voted for upon one ballot

Each voter may vote only for Sixteen candidates at large

The polls will be open from One to Three P M

And you are hereby directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof Seven days at least before the time of said meeting as directed by vote of the town

Hereof fail not and make return of this warrant with your doings thereon at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this 22nd day of March A D 1917

Frank M Rugg	) Selectmen
Charles B Soules	) of
Thomas Fox	) Sandisfield

97 Sandisfield March 26 1917  
Berkshire SS

By virtue of this the within warrant I have served the same by posting a true attested copy in the Post Office in New Boston - in the Post Office in South Sandisfield, in the Post Office in Montville, on the School house Beach Plain and on the Town Hall door seven days before the within said meeting.

Henry S Manley Constable of Sandisfield

The above is a true copy

Attest Elisha L Sawyer  
Town Clerk





Sandisfield, Mass. April 3, 1917

Meeting called to order by Frank M Rugg

Ballot Clerks Amos C Spring and Orlo C Twining

Voted were cast for candidates as follows:

Charles Francis Adams	seven	7
George W Anderson	four	4
William G Andrew	four	4
Albert S Apsey	one	1
Charles J Barton	four	4
John L Bates	two	2
Addison P Beardsley	one	1
William H Brooks	six	6
Walter A Buie	0	0
Harvey S Chase	two	2
Charles F Choate Jr	three	3
Charles W Clifford	two	2
George W Coleman	one	1
Louis A Coolidge	four	4
John W Cummings	four	4
Edwin U Curtis	one	1
Samuel R Cutler	two	2
Arthur W DeGoosh	one	1
Daniel E Denny	three	3
Daniel R Donovan	four	4
George H Doty	three	3
Hugh H Drysdale	two	2
Frank E Dunbar	one	1
Samuel J Elder	one	1
Wilmont R Evans Jr	0	0
Eugene N Foss	four	4
Harry A Garfield	two	2
Ralph W Gloag	0	0
Gurdon W Gordon	three	3
Matthew Hale	one	1
Arthur D Hill	one	1
Walter S Hutchins	three	3
Patrick H Jennings	two	2
Lewis J Johnson	one	1
Albert Lawrence Lowell	three	3
Nathan Matthews	one	1
James T Moriarty	one	1
Joseph C Pelletier	0	0
Josiah Quincy	0	0
Clarence W Rowley	four	4
John Weaver Sherman	one	1
James A Stiles	one	1
Morefield Storey	one	1
Charles B Strecker	0	0
Wendell Phillips Thore	one	1
Whitefield L Tuck	four	4
Joseph Walker	two	2
David I Walsh	four	4
Robert M Washburn	three	3
Sherman L Whipple	0	0
Lombard Williams	one	1
George H Wrenn	three	3

Voted To adjourn without date

The above is a true copy  
Attest Elisha L Sawyer

Town Clerk



The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Berkshire SS.

To Henry S Manley Constable of the Town of Sandisfield

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town qualified to vote in elections to meet in the Town Hall on Tuesday the first day of May 1917 at twelve O'clock M. for the following purposes:

To bring in their votes for the Election of Delegates to the Constitutional Convention - 16 Delegates at Large 4 Delegates from the First Congressional District. Delegates from the Sixth Berkshire Representative District. All the above Delegates are to be voted for upon one ballot and the ballots will be furnished at the polling place. The Polls will be opened at Twelve O'clock M. and may be closed at Four O'clock P M.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof in Five public places in said town seven days at least before the time of holding said meeting

Hereof fail not and make return of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at or before the time of holding said meeting

Given under our hands this 20th day of April A D 1917

Frank M Rugg ) Selectmen  
Chas B Soules ) of  
Thomas Fox ) Sandisfield

101 Sandisfield Mass April 25th 1917  
Berkshire SS

I have served this the within warrant by posting true attested copies, one in South Sandisfield, one on School house in Beach Plain, one in Montville Post Office one on Town Hall door one in Post Office in New Boston seven days before the time of holding said meeting.

Henry S Manley  
Constable of Sandisfield

A true copy

Attest Elisha L Sawyer Town Clerk

102 Sandisfield Mass May 1, 1917

Meeting called to order by F M Rugg

The warrant was read by E L Sawyer Clerk

Ballot Clerks Orlo C Twining, Amos Spring

Polls were opened at 12.00 M. and ballots cast

Polls closed at 4.00 p m and ballots counted with the following results

Votes for Delegates at Large

Charles Francis Adams	Eight	8
George W Anderson	Seven	7
Albert S Apsey	Three	3
Charles J Barton	Six	6
John L Bates	Four	4
William H Brooks	Six	6
Walter A Buie	One	1
Charles F Choate Jr	Four	4
Charles W Clifford	Three	3
George W Coleman	Three	3
Louis A Coolidge	Four	4





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John W Cummings	Six	6
Edwin U Curtis	Five	5
Daniel R Donovan	Five	5
Frank E Dunbar	Five	5
Samuel J Elder	Five	5
Wilmot R Evans Jr	Six	6
Eugene N Foss	Six	6
Matthew Hale	Five	5
Arthur D Hill	Five	5
Patrick H Jannings	Three	3
Abbot Lawrence Lowell	Six	6
Nathan Matthews	Three	3
James T Moriarty	One	1
Joseph C Pelletier	None	0
Josiah Quincy	Two	2
Morefield Storey	Two	2
Charles B Strecker	One	1
Joseph Walker	Five	5
David J Walsh	Three	3
Sherwood L Whipple	One	1
George H Wrean	Seven	7
Blanks	Twelve	12

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## First Congressional District

Nathan P Avery	Four	4
J Bernard Boland	Five	5
Thomas F Cassidy	Four	4
Chas E Hibbard	Seven	7
Herbert C Joyner	Six	6
Daud Malone	Two	2
Owen G Monroe	Three	3
James O'Shea	None	0
Harry B Putnam	Five	5
Blanks	None	0

## Sixth Berkshire Representative District

Charles Giddings	Eight	8
Blanks	One	1

Voted To adjourn without date  
Adjourned at 4:30 p m

A true Copy  
Attest Elisha L Sawyer Town Clerk

104 Sandisfield Mass March 19, 1917

The undersigned Selectmen of Sandisfield hereby appoint Winthrop B Twining  
Inspector of Animals for the year ending March 31, 1918

F M Rugg ) Selectmen  
C B Soules ) of  
Thomas Fox ) Sandisfield

A true copy  
Attest Elisha L Sawyer  
Town Clerk



104 New Boston, Mass March 19, 1917

The undersigned Selectmen of Sandisfield hereby appoint Charles D Strickland as Forest Warden for the year ensuing

F M Rugg ) Selectmen  
C B Soule ) of  
Thomas Fox) Sandisfield

A true copy

Attest Elisha L Sawyer Town Clerk

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Sandisfield, Mass. April 21, 1917

Special Notice

To the people of the Town of Sandisfield

You are requested to meet in the Town Hall at West New Boston on Thursday, April 26, 1917, at 7.30 p m for the purpose of appointing a Committee on Public Safety, and such other committees as the Citizens of the town may deem advisable to assist and co-operate with similar bodies in other Towns of the State during the present crisis; also to take all necessary steps in organizing a Home Guard.

All male citizens of eighteen years and upwards are earnestly requested to attend.

Frank M Rugg) Selectmen  
Chas B Soule) of  
Thomas Fox ) Sandisfield

A true copy

Attest Elisha L Sawyer Town Clerk

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Sandisfield, Mass. April 26, 1917

Meeting called to order

E L Sawyer chosen Chairman

W N Clark Secretary

Committee on Public Safety

The board of Selectmen F M Rugg, C B Soule, Thomas Fox  
W N Clark, B W Ives

Committee on Home Guard

Daniel Gage, Chas Whitney, Joseph Welch

Committee on Food Production and Conservation

W B Twining, A V Wilber, Rufus W Fargo

Thomas Fox was chosen Chairman of Committee on Public Safety

W N Clark Secretary

Joseph Welch was chosen Chairman and Secretary of Committee on Home Guard

Voted To adjourn without date

Adjourned

W N Clark Secretary

Attest Elisha L Sawyer

Town Clerk





Sandisfield, Mass. March 19, 1918

We the undersigned Selectmen of the Town of Sandisfield do hereby appoint Frank Manchester for Sealer of Weights and Measures for the year ensuing

Frank M Rugg ) Selectmen  
Charles B Soule ) of  
Thomas Fox ) Sandisfield

Attest Elisha L Sawyer  
Town Clerk

Sandisfield, Mass. June 27, 1917

We the undersigned Selectmen and School Committee of the Town of Sandisfield, hereby appoint Mrs A L Strickland as School Committee to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Mary S Hawley, said appointment to hold until the next annual Town Election.

Frank M Rugg ) Selectmen  
Charles B Soule ) of  
Thomas Fox ) Sandisfield

Celestia C Clark ) School Committee  
William Fox ) of  
Sandisfield

Attest Elisha L Sawyer Town Clerk

108 The Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
Berkshire SS

To Henry S Manley Constable of the Town of Sandisfield

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town who are qualified to vote in Primaries to meet in the Town Hall in said town Tuesday, the twenty-fifth day of September, 1917, at Two o'clock P M for the following purposes:

To bring in their votes to the Primary Officers for the Nomination of Candidates of Political Parties for the following offices:

Governor for this Commonwealth

Lieutenant Governor for this Commonwealth

Secretary of this Commonwealth

Treasurer and Receiver General for this Commonwealth

Auditor of the Commonwealth

Attorney General for this Commonwealth

Councillor for 8th Councillor District

Senator for 8th Senatorial District

One Representative in General Court for 6th Representative District

County Commissioner for Berkshire County

County Commissioners (additional) for two years

and for the election of the following officers:

District member of State Committee for each political party for the 8th Senatorial District

3 members of the Democratic Town Committee

3 members of the Republican Town Committee

Delegates to State Conventions of Political Parties

All the above candidates and officers are to be voted for upon one ballot. The polls will be open from Two to Four P M. And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof seven days at least before the time of said meeting as directed by vote of the town.

Hereof fail not and make return of this warrant with your doings thereon at the



109 time and place of said meeting. Given under our hands this 15th day of September  
A D 1917

Frank M Rugg ) Selectmen  
Charles B Soule ) of  
Thomas Fox ) Sandisfield

Sandisfield Mass. September 17, 1917

By virtue of this the within warrant I have served the same by posting true and attested copies; one in New Boston, one on Town Hill, one in Montville P.O. one in Beach Plain, one in South Sandisfield seven days before the time of said meeting

Henry S Manley Constable

Attest Elisha L Sawyer Town Clerk

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Sandisfield, Mass. September 25, 1917

Meeting called to order by F M Rugg

Warrant read by E L Sawyer Clerk

Ballot Clerks Orlo C Twining and Dennis O'Brien

Polls were opened at 2 o'clock P M and votes were cast for candidates as follows

Governor Dem. Frederick W Mansfield	4
Blanks	1

Rep. Grafton W Cushing	2
" Samuel W McCall	4
Blanks	0

Lieutenant Governor Dem. No candidate	
Rep. Calvin Coolidge	6
Blanks	0

Secretary of Commonwealth	
Dem No candidates	
Rep Albert P Langtry	6
Blanks	0

Treasurer	
Dem. No candidate	
Rep. Charles L Burrill	6
Blanks	0

Auditor	
Dem. No candidate	
Rep Charles Bruce	1
Alonzo B Cook	5
Blanks	0

Attorney General	
Dem No candidate	
Rep Henry C Attwill	5
Comrad W Crooker	1
Blanks	0

111 Councillor 8th District	
Dem No candidate	
Rep Charles H Wright	6
Blanks	0

Senator Berkshire Hampshire & Hampden District	
Dem No candidate	
Rep Leonard F Hardy	6
John L Mather	0
Blanks	0





111	Representative in General Court	
	Dem. Peter I Adams	4
	Blanks	1
	Rep. Orlando C Bidwell	6
	Blanks	0
	County Commissioner Berkshire Renomination	
	Dem William H Sherrill	3
	Blanks	2
	Rep George A Grounds	6
	Blanks	0
	County Commissioner Additional (for two years)	
	Dem No candidate	
	Rep John A Bond	6
	Blanks	0
	Associate Commissioner Berkshire (to fill vacancy)	
	Dem No candidate	
	Rep John Henderson	6
	Blanks	0
	State Committee Berkshire Hampshire Hamden District	
	Dem No candidate	
	Rep No candidate	
	Delegate to State Convention	
	Dem James J Benson	3
	Blanks	2
	Rep Henry S Manley	5
	Blanks	1
112	Town Committee	
	Dem Thomas Fox	5
	Herbert D Fargo	4
	Wellington B Fuller	5
	Blanks	1
	Rep Henry S Manley	4
	Frank M Rugg	6
	Frank E Manchester	5
	Charles B Soule	1
	Blanks	2

Polls closed at Four o'clock P M  
Voted to adjourn without date

Attest Elisha L Sawyer Town Clerk

113 Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
Berkshire SS  
To W B Fuller Constable of the town of Sandisfield

Greeting:-

In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town qualified to vote in elections to meet at the Town Hall on Tuesday the Sixth day of November at Ten O'clock A M for the following purposes:-  
To bring in their votes to the Election officers for the election of the following officers:-

For a Governor of the Commonwealth  
For a Lieutenant Governor of the Commonwealth  
For a Secretary of the Commonwealth



For a Treasurer of the Commonwealth  
 For an Auditor of the Commonwealth  
 For an Attorney General for the Commonwealth  
 For a Councillor for the Eighth Councillor District  
 For a Senator for the Berkshire, Hampshire and Hampden District  
 For A Representative in General Court for the Sixth Berkshire Representative District

For a County Commissioner for Berkshire County  
 For a County Commissioner for Berkshire County additional (for two years)  
 For an Associate Commissioner for Berkshire County (to fill vacancy)

Also to vote Yes or No upon the question:

Shall the following article of amendment relative to absentee voting, submitted by the Constitutional Convention be approved and ratified?

#### Article of Amendment

The General Court shall have power to provide by law for voting by qualified voters of the Commonwealth who, at the time of an election, are absent from the city or town of which they are inhabitants in the choice of any officer to be elected, or upon an question submitted at such electin.

Also to vote Yes or No upon the question:

In place of Article 18 of the Articles of Amendment of the Constitution, shall the following Article of Amendment relative to appropriations for educational and benevolent purposes, submitted by the Constitutional Convention, be approved and ratified?

#### Article of Amendment

Article XVIII, Section 1. No law shall be passed prohibiting the free exercise of religion

Section 2. All moneys raised by taxation in the towns and cities for the support of public schools, and all moneys which may be appropriated by the Commonwealth for the support of common schools, shall be applied to, and expended in, no other schools than those which are conducted according to law, under the order and superintendence of the authorities of the town or city in which the money is expended; and no grant, appropriation or use of public money or property or loan of public credit shall be made or authorized by the Commonwealth or any political division thereof for the purpose of founding, maintaining or aiding any school or institution of learning, whether under public control or otherwise, wherein any denominational doctrine is inculcated, or any other school, or any college, infirmary, hospital, institution, or educational, charitable, or religious undertaking which is not publicly owned and under the exclusive control, order and superintendence of public officers or public agents authorized by the Commonwealth, or federal authority or both, except that appropriations may be made for the maintenance and support of the Soldier's House in Massachusetts and for free public libraries in any city or town, and to carry out legal obligations, if any, already entered into; and no such grant, appropriation or use of public money or property or loan of public credit shall be made or authorized for the purpose of founding, maintaining or aiding any church, religious denomination or society .

Section 3. Nothing herein contained shall be construed to prevent the Commonwealth, or any political division thereof, from paying to privately controlled hospitals, infirmaries, or institutions for the deaf, dumb or blind not more than the ordinary and reasonable compensation for care or support actually rendered or furnished by such hospital, infirmaries or institutions to such persons as may be in whole or in part unable to support or care for themselves.

Section 4. Nothing herein contained shall be construed to deprive any inmate of a publicly controlled reformatory, penal or charitable institution of the opportunity of religious exercise therein of his own faith; but no inmate of such institution shall be compelled to attend religious services or receive religious





115 instruction against his will, or if a minor, without the consent of his parent or guardian.

Section 5. This amendment shall not take effect until the October first next succeeding its ratification and adoption by the people.

116 Also to vote Yes or No upon the question:

Shall the following article of Amendment relative to the taking and distribution by the Commonwealth and its Municipalities of the Common Necessaries of life, submitted by the Constitutional Convention be approved and ratified:

Article of Amendment

The maintenance and distribution at reasonable rates, during the time of war, public exigency, emergency or distress, of a sufficient supply of food and other common necessities of life and the providing of shelter, are public functions, and the Commonwealth and the cities and towns therein may take and may provide the same for their inhabitants in such manner as the general court may determine.

All of the above named officers and the vote Yes or No to the above amendments shall be brought in on one ballot.

The Polls will be opened at Ten O Clock A M and may be closed at Three O clock P M and you are idrected to serve this Warrant by posting true and attested copies, One in the Post Office in New Boston, One in the Post Office in Montville and One on the Town Hall door seven days befor the time of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not and make return of this Warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk on or before the time of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands at Sandisfield this 29th day of October A D 1917.

Frank M Rugg ) Selectmen  
Charles B Soule) of  
Thomas Fox ) Sandisfield

117 By virtue of this Warrant I have copied and posted One in Post Office at New Boston One in Post Office at Montville One on Town Hall door  
W B Fuller Constable

Thirtieth Day of October A D 1917

Attest Elisha L Sawyer Town Clerk

Sandisfield, Mass., November 6, 1917

Meeting called to order by F M Rugg

Warrant read by E L Sawyer Clerk

Ballot Clerks Orlo C Twining and Amos Spring

Polls were opened at Ten O'clock A M and Forty-six ballots were cast as follows:

For Governor

James Hayes	One	( 1)
Chester R Lawrence	One	( 1)
Frederick W Mansfield	Nineteen	(19)
Samuel W McCall	Twenty-four	(24)
John McCarty	None	0
Blanks	One	( 1)

Lieutenant Governor

Calvin Coolidge	Twenty-seven	27
Matthew Hale	Twelve	12
Sylvester J McBride	None	0
Fred E Oeleher	None	0
Blanks	Seven	7

Secretary

Herbert S Brown	Three	3
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117	Albert P Langtry	Twenty-one	21
	Ingvar Paulsen	One	1
	Arthur B Reed	Sixteen	16
	Marion E Sproule	None	0
	Blanks	Five	5
118	Treasurer		
	Charles L Burrill	Twenty-two	22
	Solon Lovett	One	1
	Joseph A Murphy	None	0
	Humphrey O'Sullivan	Nineteen	19
	Mary E Peterson	None	0
	Blanks	Four	4
	Auditor		
	Elzear H Choquette	Eighteen	18
	Alonzo B Cook	Nineteen	19
	David Craig	One	1
	Walter S Peck	One	1
	Henry G Smith Jr	One	1
	Blanks	Six	6
	Attorney General		
	Harry C Atwell	Twenty-two	22
	Frank Anghter	One	1
	William R Henry	None	0
	Thomas O Maher	None	0
	Josiah Quincy	Nineteen	19
	Blanks	Four	4
	Councillor Eighth Councillor District		
	William Kurth	Two	2
	Charles H Wright	Thirty-three	33
	Blanks	Eleven	11
	Senator Berkshire Hampshire and Hampden District		
	Leonard Hardy	Thirty-six	36
	Blanks	Ten	10
	Representative in General Court 6th Berkshire District		
	Peter I Adams	Twenty-nine	29
	Orlando C Bidwell	Sixteen	16
	Charles Geibel	None	0
	Blanks	One	1
119	County Commissioner Berkshire County		
	George A Grounds	Twenty-three	23
	William H Sherrill	Twenty	20
	Blanks	Three	3
	County Commissioner Berkshire additional (for two years)		
	John A Bond	Thirty-five	35
	Blanks	Eleven	11
	Associate Commissioner Berkshire to fill vacancy		
	John Henderson	Thirty-six	36
	Blanks	Ten	10





119 Amendment No 1 - Absentee voting

Yes	Eighteen	18
No	Four	4
Blanks	Twenty-four	24

Amendment No 2 - Appropriations for Educational and Benevolent Purposes

Yes	Sixteen	16
No	Six	6
Blanks	Twenty-four	24

Amendment No 3 - Distribution by Commonwealth of Common Necessaries of Life

Yes	Eighteen	18
No	Four	4
Blanks	Twenty-four	24

By vote Polls were closed at 3 o'clock P M  
Voted to adjourn without date

Attest Elisha L Swwyer Town Clerk

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Sandisfield, Mass., Jan 12, 1918

The Republican Town Committee this day organized and elected H S Manley Chair-  
mand, H S Manley Secretary and Frank M Rugg Treasurer for the year ensuing.

H S Manley Secretary

Attest Elisha L Sawyer Town Clerk

Sandisfield, Mass., Jan 22, 1918

The Democratic Town Committee of the Town of Sandisfield organized as follows  
for the year 1918

Thomas Fox Chairman

Herbert D Fargo Secretary and

Wellington B Fuller Treasurer

Herbert D Fargo Secretary

Attest Elisha L Sage Town Clerk

Sandisfield, Mass., Jan 23, 1918

We the undersigned Selectmen of the town of Sandisfield hereby appoint Chas D  
Strickland as Forest Warden for the year ensuing, the same having been approved by  
the State Forest Warden.

F M Rugg ) Selectmen  
C B Soule ) of  
Thomas Fox) Sandisfield

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Auctioneers License

Sandisfield, Mass., Oct 27, 1917

This is to certify that Henry S Manley of the Town of Sandisfield has been duly  
licensed by the Board of Selectmen to sell at public auction any goods or chattels,  
real or personal estate according to law from this date until the first day of Nov-  
ember 1918. in said town of Sandisfield, except on occasions of such sales as are  
prohibited by law to be held in other places within the State

Frank M Rugg ) Selectmen  
Charles B Soule) of  
Thomas Fox ) Sandisfield  
Elisha L Sawyer ) Town Clerk

Attest Elisha L Sawyer Town Clerk



To Henry S Manley Constable of the town of Sandisfield

Greeting:-

In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid you are required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town qualified to vote in elections and town affairs to meet at the Town Hall on Monday March eleventh 1918 at Ten O'clock A M for the following purposes. Viz:-

Article 1 To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting

Art 2 To vote by Ballot for town officers and terms thereof as follows:

One Town Clerk for the term of One Year

One Town Treasurer for the term of One Year

Three Selectmen for the term of One Year

One Assessor for the term of Three Years

One Assessor for the term of One Year (To fill vacancy)

One school committee for the term of Three Years

One School Committee for the term of One Year (To fill vacancy)

Two Constables for the term of One Year

One Auditor for the term of One Year:

and to vote "Yes or No" upon the question, Shall licenses be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors in this town? All of the above named officers and the vote "Yes or No" shall be brought in on one Ballot and the Ballots will be furnished at the polling place.

Art 3 To choose all necessary Town officers not named in Article two.

123 Art 4 To hear the reports of Town officers and act thereon

Art 5 To see what method the town will adopt in regard to the collection of taxes, prescribe the compensation therefor and pass any vote that may be proper

Art 6 To see if the town will vote to give the collector of taxes the same power that town treasurers have when they are Collectors of taxes

Art 7 To choose any Agents or Committees for the town and give them any instruction or authority

Art 8 To act upon the Jury list as presented by the Selectmen

Art 9 To see if the town will vote to accept the provisions of Chapter 153 of the Acts of 1916 regarding the licensing of slaughter houses

Art 10 To see if the town will raise and appropriate Twenty-five dollars to be paid to the Berkshire County Farm Bureau for agricultural advisors of the County on lands own by residents of the town, under the provisions of section 9 of Chapter 707, of the Acts of 1914

Art 11 To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary to pay the expenses of the various town departments Viz:- General Government, Unclassified, Police department, Health department, Inspection of Animals, Inspection of slaughters, Repairs of Highways and Bridges, Opening roads in winters, Resurfacing stone road, Support of Schools, Superintendent of Schools, Repairs of school houses, Medical inspection of schools, Charity





- 124 department, Public Library, Cemeteries, Interest, Contingent fund, and for any other purpose that may be deemed necessary
- Art 12 To see if the town will vote to appropriate the sum of six hundred dollars to pay for the transportation of children who live over two miles from school
- Art 13 To see if the town will vote to appropriate the sum of four hundred dollars to pay for the transportation of children who live more than a mile and a half and less than two miles from school
- Art 14 To see if the town will raise and appropriate a sum for the observance of Memorial day
- Art 15 To see if the town will vote to purchase a road machine, and appropriate money for the same
- Art 16 To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum to be expended on a certain piece of highway in addition to a sum that may be allotted the town by the Massachusetts Highway Commission
- Art 17 To see if the town will vote to change the date of the annual town election and name a date for the same
- 125 Art 18 To see if the town will vote to authorize the town Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of the revenue of the current financial year
- Art 19 To see if the town will vote to pay Henry Dodd for labor performed on highway during the year 1916

The Polls will be opened at Ten O'Clock A M and may be closed at Three O'Clock P M and you are directed to serve this warrant by posting true and attested copies thereof, one in the Post office in Montville, one at the Post office in New Boston and one on the Town Hall door seven days at least before the time of holding said meeting. Hereof fail not and of this warrant with your doings thereon make due return to the Town Clerk at or before the time of holding said meeting

Given under our hands at Sandisfield this 26th day of February A D 1918

Frank M Rugg ) Selectmen  
Charles B Soule ) of  
Thomas Fox ) Sandisfield

Sandisfield, Mass. March 2, 1918

By virtue of the within warrant I have served the same by posting true and attested copies as within directed.

Henry S Manley  
Constable

Attest Elisha L Sawyer  
Town Clerk



Meeting called to order and warrant read by Elisha L Sawyer Town Clerk  
 Ballot Clerks Orlo C Twining Amos C Spring

Frank M Rugg was elected moderator

Voted To take up Article 19

Voted To pay Henry Dodd \$40 for work on highway in 1916

Voted That the chair receive bids for the collection of taxes

Voted To give Collector of taxes the same power the Treasurer has when Collector

Voted To elect Edman H Strickland as Town Agent

Voted To excuse Mr Strickland from above office

Voted That Lyman H Clark serve as Town Agent

Voted That list of Jurors as presented by the Selectmen be accept

Voted To accept the provisions of Chapter 153 of the Acts of 1916 regarding the  
 licensing of slaughter houses

Voted To pass over Article 10

Voted To pass over Article 13

Voted That the Treasurer be directed to spend from the Memorial day fund only  
 the necessary amount for the purchase of flags

Voted To purchase a road machine

Voted To pass over Article 16

Voted To pass over Article 17

Voted To excuse Henry Winship from Jurors list

Voted That Frederick P Whitney serve on Jurors list in place of Henry Winship

Voted To excuse Mr Whitney from above office

Voted That Arthur L Strickland serve as Juror in place of Mr Whitney

127 Voted To authorize the town Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen be  
 and hereby is authorized to borrow money from time to time not to exceed  
 Two Thousand Dollars (\$2000) in anticipation of the revenue of the fin-  
 ancial year beginning January 1, 1918, and to issue a note or notes  
 therefor payable within one year, any debt or debts incurred under this  
 note to be paid from the revenue of said financial year.

Voted To accept the report of the town officers as printed

Voted That the Polls be closed at Three O'clock P M

Voted To raise and appropriate the following sums of money

For transportation of scholars	\$600.
For Support of Schools	1800
For repairs of School houses	200
For Medical Inspection of Schools	25
For Superintendent of Schools	200
For observance of Memorial Day	25
For road machine	250
For General Government	900
For Unclassified	150
For Police department	40
For Health and Sanitation	175
For Inspection of animals	44
For Inspection of slaughters	150
(For repairs of highways and bridges	1400
(In addition to above	600
Opening roads in winter	400
For resurfacing of Stone road	500
For support of poor	600
For support of Public Library	40





127	For Care of cemeteries	50.
	To pay interest	100
	Contingent fund	200
	Total	<u>350</u>

128 Voted That Frank Hawley be excused from serving on jurors list  
Voted That Gilbert W Pruyn serve as juror in place of Mr Hawley

Officers not mentioned in the Official Ballot were chosen as follows  
Committee on Cemeteries

No 1 Lewis F Shepard  
" 2 Charles Weeks  
" 3 James Roberts  
" 4 George Crocker  
" 5 Julius Brewer  
" 6 Edman H Strickland

Measurers of Wood & Bark  
Amos Spring Rufus W Fargo Michael Waters

Field Drivers  
Charles B Soule William Hart Truman Ives

Pound Keeper  
Howard Spring

Fence Viewers  
Edman H Strickland Michael Waters Charles E Whitney

Care of Town Hall  
George Crocker

Surveyors of Lumber  
Lyman H Clark Burton W Ives Daniel W Gage

Librarian Trustee  
Henry S Manley

129 Tree Warden  
Henry S Manley

Voted To rescind vote to pass over Article 13  
Motion to appropriate \$400 according to above article was lost

The Polls were closed at three o'clock. The Ballots were counted, and were as follows:

Town Clerk		
Elisha L Sawyer	had Forty-seven	47
Daniel W Gage	had Twenty-four	24
Blanks	Four	4

Town Treasurer		
Frank M Rugg	had Sixty-three	63

Selectmen



Selectmen		
Frank M Rugg	had	Sixty-one 61
Thomas Fox		Forty-eight 48
Charles B Soule		Forty-six 46
Frederick P Whitney		Thirty-seven 37
Henry Dodd		Eleven 11
Daniel W Gage		Nine 9
Blanks		Thirteen 13

Assessor for Three Years		
Edman H Strickland		Forty 40
Henry S Manley		Thirty-two 32
Blanks		Three 3

Assessor for One Year (To fill vacancy)		
Joseph M Welch		Forty-one 41
Edson P Twining		Twenty-one 21
Blanks		Thirteen 13

School Committee for Three Years		
Edson P Twining		Forty-seven 47
Blanks		Twenty-eight 28

School Committee for One Year (To fill vacancy)		
Emeline T Strickland		Fifty-seven 57
Blanks		Eighteen 18

Constables		
Wellington B Fuller		Fifty 50
Henry S Manley		Fifty-one 51
Blanks		Forty-nine 49

Auditor		
Jason Sears		Fifty-five 55

Shall license be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors in this town		
Yes		Forty-four 44
No		Twenty-four 24

Voted To adjourn without date

Attest Elisha L Sawyer Town Clerk

Sandisfield, Mass. March 15 1918

The undersigned Selectmen of Sandisfield hereby appoint Winthrop B Twining as Inspector of Animals for the ensuing year, the same having been approved by the Commission of Animal Industry.

Frank M Rugg ) Selectmen  
 Thomas Fox ) of  
 Charles B Soule ) Sandisfield

Attest Elisha L Sawyer  
 Town Clerk

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Sandisfield, Mass., March 15, 1918

The undersigned Selectmen of Sandisfield hereby appoint Charles B Soule  
Superintendent of Streets for the year ensuing

Frank M Rugg ) Selectmen of  
Thomas Fox ) Sandisfield

Attest Elisha L Sawyer Town Clerk

Sandisfield, Mass., March 15, 1918

We the undersigned Selectmen of Sandisfield hereby appoint Frank E Manchester  
as Sealer of Weights and Measures for the ensuing year

Frank M Rugg ) Selectmen  
Thomas Fox ) of  
Charles B Soule ) Sandisfield

Attest Elisha L Sawyer Town Clerk

Sandisfield, Mass., March 15, 1918

We the undersigned Selectmen of Sandisfield hereby appoint Rufus W Fargo,  
Henry Winship and Harry Rogers as Inspectors of Slaughter for the year ending  
March 31, 1919, the same having been approved by the State Board of Health

Frank M Rugg ) Selectmen  
Thomas Fox ) of  
Charles B Soule ) Sandisfield

Attest Elisha L Sawyer Town Clerk

Sandisfield, Mass. May 25, 1918

The undersigned Selectmen and Assessors of Sandisfield hereby appoint Henry  
S Manley Assessor to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Herbert D Fargo.  
Said appointment to hold until the next annual Town Election.

F M Rugg ) Selectmen  
Thomas Fox ) of  
C B Soule ) Sandisfield

Edman H Strickland ) Assessors of  
Joseph M Welch ) Sandisfield

Attest Elisha L Sawyer Town Clerk

Sandisfield, Mass. Aug 31, 1918

The undersigned Selectmen and School Committee of Sandisfield hereby appoint  
Lillian Eva Deming as School Committee to fill the vacancy caused by the resigna-  
tion of Celestia C Clark, said appointment to hold until the next annual Town  
Election

F M Rugg ) Selectmen  
Thomas Fox ) of  
C B Soule ) Sandisfield

Emeline T Strickland ) School Committee  
Edson P Twining ) of  
 ) Sandisfield

Attest Elisha L Sawyer  
Town Clerk



133 The Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
Berkshire SS

To either of the Constables in the town of Sandisfield

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town who are qualified to vote in the Primaries to meet in the Town Hall Tuesday, the Twenty-fourth day of September, 1918, at Two o'clock P M for the following purposes:

To bring in their votes to the Primary Officers for the nomination of Candidates of Political Parties for the following offices:

Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Secretary of the Commonwealth, Treasurer and Receiver General, Auditor of the Commonwealth, Attorney General, U S Senators in Congress, Congressman 1st Cong Dis, Councillor 8th Congress Dis, Senator, 8th Senatorial District, One Representative in General Court for the 6th Representative District, County Commissioner for Berkshire County, County Treasurer for Berkshire County, Register of Probate and insolvency for Berkshire County

And for the election of the following officers:

District Member of State Committee for each political party for the 8th Senatorial District, Three members of Republican Town Committee, Three members of the Democratic Town Committee. One Delegate to State Convention of the Democratic party  
134 One Delegate to State Convention of the Republican Party

All the above candidates and officers are to be voted for upon one Ballot

The Polls will be open from Two to Four P M. And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting five attested copies thereof seven days at least before the time of said meeting as directed by vote of the town

Hereof fail not and make return of this warrant with your doings thereon at the time and place of said meeting

Given under our hands this 14th day of September A D 1918

Frank M Rugg ) Selectmen  
Thomas Fox ) of  
Charles B Soule ) Sandisfield

By virtue of this warrant I have copied and posted five true and attested copies of this warrant

W B Fuller Constable

Monday Sept. 16, 1918

Attest Elisha L Sawyer Town Clerk

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Sandisfield, Mass., Sept 24, 1918

Meeting called to order and warrant read by Elisha L Sawyer Town Clerk  
Ballot Clerks Orlo C Twining Amos C Spring

Polls were opened at two P M and 8 ballots were cast as follows

Governor	
Edward P Barry	One 1
William A Gaston	Two 2
Richard H Long	None 0
Calvin Coolidge	Four 4
Sylvester J McBride	None 0
Blanks	One 1

Lieutenant Governor	
Channing H Cox	Four 4
Guy Andrews Haue	None 0
Blanks	Four 4





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Secretary	
Albert D Langtry	Four 4
Blanks	Four 4

Treasurer	
Charles L Burrill	Four 4
Frank W Thayer	None 0
Blanks	Four 4

Auditor	
Alonzo B Cook	Four 4
Alonzo P Gruinel	None 0
Blanks	Four 4

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Attorney General	
J Weston Allen	Two 2
Henry C Atwill	Two 2
Blanks	Four 4

Senator in Congress	
David J Walsh	Three 3
John W Weeks	Four 4
Blanks	One 1

Congressman 1st District	
Thomas F Cassidy	One 1
Allen T Treadway	Five 5
Blanks	Two 2

Councillor 8th District	
Henry L Bowles	Four 4
William H Feiker	None 0
Arthur S Gaylord	None 0
George B Waterman	None 0
Blanks	Four 4

Senator Berkshire, Hampshire & Hampden	
Leonard F Hardy	Four 4

Representative in General Court	
Orlando C Bidwell	Three 3
Blanks	Five 5

County Commissioner Berkshire	
John H C Church	Four 4
Frank Howard	None 0
Blanks	Four 4

County Treasurer	
William H Backus	Three 3
Fred D Cooley	None 0
George W Faulkner	One 1
Julius B Goussett	None 0
William P Martin	None 0
Blanks	Four 4



Register of Probate & Insolvency, Berkshire  
 Arthur M Robinson Three 3  
 Blanks Five 5

State Committee, Berkshire, Hampshire & Hampden  
 T Ellis Ramsdel Three 3  
 Blanks Five 5

Delegate to State Convention, Sandisfield  
 James J Benson Two 2  
 Henry S Manley Four 4  
 Blanks Two 2

Town Committee, Sandisfield  
 Thomas Fox Three 3  
 Wellington B Fuller Three 3  
 Rufus W Fargo Three 3

Charles B Soule Three 3  
 Henry S Manley Four 4  
 Frank M Rugg Five 5  
 Blanks Three 3

The Polls were closed at 3.00 P M  
 Voted to adjourn without date

Attest Elisha L Sawyer Town Clerk

Sandisfield, Mass. Oct 29 1918  
 Auctioneers License

This is to certify that Henry S Manley of the town of Sandisfield has been duly licensed by the Board of Selectmen to sell at public auction any goods or chattels Real or Personal Estate according to law from the date until the first day of November 1919 in said town of Sandisfield except on occasions of such sales as are prohibited by law to be held in other places within the State

Frank M Rugg ) Selectmen  
 Thomas Fox ) of  
 Charles B Soule ) Sandisfield

Attest Elisha L Sawyer Town Clerk

Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
 Berkshire SS

To Henry S Manley Constable of the Town of Sandisfield

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town qualified to vote in elections, to meet at the Town Hall on Tuesday the fifth day of November, 1918 at ten O'clock A M for the following purposes:

To bring in their votes to the election officers for the election of the following officers:

For Governor of the Commonwealth

For Lieutenant Governor of the Commonwealth





For Secretary of the Commonwealth  
 For Treasurer and Receiver General of the Commonwealth  
 For Auditor of the Commonwealth  
 For Attorney General for the Commonwealth  
 For United States Senator in Congress  
 For Congressman for first Congressional District  
 For Senator for eighth Senatorial District  
 (Berkshire, Hampshire and Hampden)  
 For Representative in General Court for the sixth Representative District  
 For County Commissioner for Berkshire County  
 For County Treasurer for Berkshire County  
 For Register of Probate and Insolvency for Berkshire County  
 Also to vote yes or no upon each of the following questions:

## Question 1

Shall the Article of Amendment relative to the establishment of the popular initiative and referendum and the legislative initiative of specific amendments of the Constitution, submitted by the Constitutional Convention, be approved and ratified?

## Question 2

Shall the following Article of Amendment relative to the Public Interest in Natural Resources, submitted by the Constitutional Convention, be approved and ratified?

## Article of Amendment

The conservation, development and utilization of the agricultural, mineral, forest, water and other natural resources of the Commonwealth are public uses, and the general court shall have power to provide for the taking, upon payment of just compensation therefor, of lands and easements or interests therein, including water and mineral rights, for the purpose of securing and promoting the proper conservation development, utilization and control thereof and to enact legislation necessary or expedient therefor.

## Question 3

Shall the following Article of Amendment to Provide for the Regulation of Advertising in Public Places, submitted by the Constitutional Convention be approved and ratified?

## Article of Amendment

Advertising on public ways, in public places and on private property within public view may be regulated and restricted by law.

## Question 4

Shall the following Article of Amendment relative to the Preservation and Maintenance of Property of Historical and Antiquarian Interest, submitted by the Constitutional Convention, be approved and ratified?

## Article of Amendment

The preservation and maintenance on ancient landmarks and other property of historical or antiquarian interest is a public use, and the Commonwealth and the cities and towns therein, may, upon payment of just compensation, take such property or any interest therein under such regulations as the general court may prescribe.

## Question 5

Shall the following Article of Amendment relative to adjournments of the General Court, submitted by the Constitutional Convention, be approved and ratified?

## Article of Amendment

The general court, by concurrant vote of the two houses, may take a recess or recesses amounting to not more than thirty days; but no such recess shall extend beyond the sixtieth day from the date of their first assembling.

## Question 6

Shall the Article of Amendment authorizing the General Court to prescribe





140 subject to certain restrictions, the manner of the appointment and removal of military and naval officers to be commissioned by the Governor, submitted by the Constitutional Convention, be approved and retified?

Question 7

Shall the Article of Amendment defining the powers and duties of the General Court relative to the military and naval forces, and of the Governor as Commander-in-Chief thereof, be approved and ratified?

Question 8

Shall the Article of Amendment providing for succession, in cases of vacancies in the offices of Governor and Lieutenant Governor by the secretary, attorney general, treasurer and receiver general, and auditor in the order named, be approved and ratified?

Question 9

141 Shall the Article of Amendment authorizing the Governor to return to the General Court with a recommendation for amendment bills and resolves which have been laid before him, be approved and ratified?

Question 10

Shall the following Article of Amendment providing that Women shall be eligible to appointment as Notaries Public, submitted by the Constitutional Convention, be approved and ratified?

Article of Amendment

Article IV of the articles of amendment of the constitution of the Commonwealth is hereby amended by adding the following words thereto:- Women shall be eligible to appointment as notaries public. Change of name shall render the commission void, but shall not prevent reappointment under the new name.

Question 11

Shall the following Article of Amendment relative to the retirement of Judicial Officers, submitted by the Constitutional Convention, be approved and ratified?

Article of Amendment

Article I of Chapter III of Part the Second of the constitution is hereby amended by the addition of the following words: and provided also that the governor with the consent of the council, may after due notice and hearing retire them because of advanced age or mental or physical disability. Such retirement shall be subject to any provisions made by law as to pensions or allowances payable to such officers upon their voluntary retirement.

Question 12

Shall the following Article of Amendment relative to the Revocation or Alteration of Grants, Franchises, Privileges or immunities, submitted by the Constitutional Convention be approved and retified?

Article of Amendment

142 Every Charter, Franchise or act of incorporation shall forever remain subject to revocation and amendment.

Question 13

Shall the following Article of Amendment relative to the power of the General Court to limit Buildings according to their Use or Construction to Specified Districts of Cities and Townd, submitted by the Constitutional Convention, be approved and ratified?

Article of Amendment

The general court shall have power to limit buildings according to their use or construction to specified districts of cities and towns.

Question 14

Shall the following Article of Amendment relative to Compulsory voting at elections, submitted by the Constitutional Convention, be approved and ratified?

Article of Amendment

The general court shall have authority to provide for compulsory voting at elections, but the right of secret voting shall be preserved.





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#### Question 15

Shall the amendment of the Constitution limiting the power of the General Court to lend the credit of the Commonwealth and to contract loans, be approved and ratified?

#### Question 16

Shall the amendment to the Constitution providing for a state budget and the veto by the Governor of items or parts of items in appropriation bills be approved and ratified?

#### Question 17

Shall the amendment of the Constitution providing for biennial elections of state officers, councillors and members of the General Court be approved and ratified?

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#### Question 18

Shall the following Article of Amendment relative to Service on Certain Legislature Recess Committees and Commissions submitted by the Constitutional Convention be approved and ratified?

#### Article of Amendment

No person elected to the general court shall during the term for which he was elected be appointed to any office created or the emoluments whereof are increased during such terms, nor receive additional salary or compensation for service upon any recess committee or commission except a committee appointed to examine a general revision of the statutes of the Commonwealth when submitted to the general court for adoption.

#### Question 19

Shall the following Article of Amendment to provide for the more efficient administration of the business of the Commonwealth, submitted by the Constitutional Convention, be approved and ratified?

#### Article of Amendment

On or before January 1, 1921, the executive and administrative work of the Commonwealth shall be organized in not more than twenty departments, in one of which every executive and administrative office, board and commission, except those officers serving directly under the governor or the council, shall be placed. Such departments shall be under such supervision and regulation as the general court may from time to time prescribe by law.

All of the above named officers and the vote yes or no to the above questions shall be brought in one ballot.

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Polls will be opened at Ten O'clock A M and may be closed at Three o'clock P M and you are directed to serve this warrant by posting true and attested copies, one in the Post Office in New Boston, one on the Public Library at Montville, and one on the Town Hall door, seven days before the time of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not and make return of this Warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk on or before the time of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands this 26 day of October 1918, at Sandisfield.

Frank M Rugg     ) Selectmen  
Thomas Fox        ) of  
Charles B Soule) Sandisfield

Berkshire SS. Sandisfield, Oct. 26, 1918

By virtue of this the within warrant I have posted and served the same by posting a true and attested copy in the Post Office at New Boston, on the Public Library in Montville and on the door on the Town Hall seven days before the time of holding said meeting

Attest Elisha L Sawyer  
Town Clerk

Henry S Manley,  
Constable of Sandisfield



Sandisfield, Mass., Nov. 5, 1918

Meeting called to order by Frank M Rugg and warrant read by Elisha L Sawyer  
Town Clerk.

Moderator  
Frank M Rugg

Ballot Clerks  
Orlo C Twining                      Amos C Spring

Polls were opened at Ten O'clock a m and sixty (60) ballots were cast as follows

Governor		
Calvin Coolidge	Thirty-nine	39
Richard H Long	Twenty-one	21
Sylvester J McBride	None	0
Ingvar Paulsen	None	0
Blanks	None	0

Lieutenant Governor		
Channing H Cox	Thirty-seven	37
Oscar Kinsalas	None	0
Joseph H O'Neil	Twenty	20
Blanks	Three	3

Secretary		
Albert P Langtry	Thirty-eight	38
Charles H McGhee	Eighteen	18
William Taylor	One	1
Blanks	Three	3

Treasurer		
Charles L Burril	Thirty-five	35
Charles Giddings	Twenty-two	22
Mary E Peterson	None	0
Blanks	Three	3

Auditor		
Alonzo B Cook	Thirty-seven	37
Francis M Costello	Twenty	20
Fred E Olcher	None	0
Blanks	Three	3

Attorney General		
Henry C Atwill	Thirty-seven	37
Morris J Becker	None	0
Joseph P St. Coeur	Twenty	20
Blanks	Three	3

Senator in Congress		
Thomas W Lawson	Three	3
David I Walsh	Twenty-two	22
John W Weeks	Thirty-four	34
Blanks	One	1





## Congressman First District

Thomas F Cassidy	Eighteen	18
Allen T Treadway	Forty-one	41
Blanks	One	1

## Councillor 8th District

Henry L Bowles	Forty-nine	49
Blanks	Eleven	11

## Senator, Berkshire, Hampshire &amp; Hampden

Leonard F Hardy	Forty-nine	49
Blanks	Eleven	11

## Representative in General Court 6th Berkshire District

Orlando C Bidwell	Forty-eight	
Blanks	Twelve	12

## County Commissioner

Frank Howard	Thirty-nine	39
Archibald K Sloper	Nineteen	19
Blanks	Two	2

## County Treasurer Berkshire

William P Martin	Fifty-one	51
Blanks	Nine	9

## Register of Probate and Insolvency, Berkshire

Arthur M Tobinon	Fifty-two	52
Blanks	Eight	8

## Amendment No 1

Yes	Ten	10
No	Twenty	20
Blanks	Thirty	30

## Amendment No 2

Yes	Fifteen	15
No	Fifteen	15
Blanks	Thirty	30

## Amendment No 3

Yes	Eighteen	18
No	Twelve	12
Blanks	Thirty	30

## Amendment No 4

Yes	Eighteen	18
No	Ten	10
Blanks	Thirty-two	32

## Amendment No 5

Yes	Thirteen	13
No	Thirteen	13
Blanks	Thirty-four	34



117	Amendment No 6		
	Yes	Sixteen	16
	No	Eleven	11
	Blanks	Thirty-three	33
118	Amendment No 7		
	Yes	Fifteen	15
	No	Ten	10
	Blanks	Thirty-five	35
	Amendment No 8		
	Yes	Thirteen	13
	No	Ten	10
	Blanks	Thirty-seven	37
	Amendment No 9		
	Yes	Thirteen	13
	No	Twelve	12
	Blanks	Thirty-five	35
	Amendment No 10		
	Yes	Fifteen	15
	No	Fourteen	14
	Blanks	Thirty-one	31
	Amendment No 11		
	Yes	Fifteen	15
	No	Twelve	12
	Blanks	Thirty-three	33
	Amendment No 12		
	Yes	Fourteen	14
	No	Twelve	12
	Blanks	Thirty-four	34
	Amendment No 13		
	Yes	Twelve	12
	No	Thirteen	13
	Blanks	Thirty-five	35
	Amendment No 14		
	Yes	Sixteen	16
	No	Fifteen	15
	Blanks	Twenty-nine	29
119	Amendment No 15		
	Yes	Thirteen	13
	No	Fifteen	15
	Blanks	Thirty-two	32
	Amendment No 16		
	Yes	Fourteen	14
	No	Twelve	12
	Blanks	Thirty-four	34





## Amendment No 17

Yes	Thirteen	13
No	Thirteen	13
Blanks	Thirty-four	34

## Amendment No 18

Yes	Thirteen	13
No	Thirteen	13
Blanks	Thirty-four	34

## Amendment No 19

Yes	Fourteen	14
No	Thirteen	13
Blanks	Thirty-three	33

Voted That when the polls close they be closed at Three o'clock P M

Voted To adjourn without date

Attest Elisha L Sawyer  
Town Clerk

Sandisfield, Mass., Nov. 6, 1918

We the undersigned Selectmen of Sandisfield hereby appoint Arthur L Strickland as Town Clerk to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Elisha L Sawyer and said appointment to take effect Nov. 7, 1918 and to hold until the next annual Town Election or until another clerk is elected to fill said office.

Frank M Rugg ) Selectmen  
Thomas Fox ) of  
Charles B Soule) Sandisfield

Attest Elisha L Sawyer  
Town Clerk

Great Barrington Mass Nov 15, 1918

Canvass of Votes for Representative District No 6  
Berkshire SS Commonwealth of Massachusetts

The undersigned clerks of the several towns comprising the Representative District No (6) Six in said County, met at the Town Clerk's office in Great Barrington , at twelve o'clock noon. on Friday the 15th day of November 1918 and hereby certify that they did then and there examine all the attested copies of the records of the votes of the aforementioned towns at their several meetings on Tuesday November 5 1918 the result being as follows.

The whole number of votes cast was 1338

For Orlando C Bidwell		For William I Spencer	
Of Great Barrington		Of Stockbridge	
In Great Barrington	654	In Stockbridge	2
In Stockbridge	201		
In Sheffield	163		
In West Stockbridge	85		



151	In Egremont	76
	In Alford	26
	In Mt Washington	13
	In Sandisfield	48
	In New Marlborough	72

And The said Orlando C Bidwell was declared elected

(Attest)	Edward Kelly	Town Clerk of Great Barrington
	Adam Schilling	Town Clerk of Stockbridge
	Henry C Clark	Town Clerk of Sheffield
	William W Howland	Town Clerk of West Stockbridge
	George Boice	Town Clerk of Egrmont
	Sterling E Millard	Town Clerk of Alford
	Alfred I Sparr	Town Clerk of Mt Washington
	Arthur L Strickland	Town Clerk of Sandisfield
	Henry Fay	Town Clerk of New Marlboro

Attest Arthur L Strickland

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Town Clerk, Town of Sandisfield

This is to notify you that the Democratic  
Town Committee of the Town of Sandisfield organized on January 25, 1919 as  
follows

Thomas Fox Chairman  
Wellington B Fuller, Secretary  
Rus W Fargo, Treasurer

Dem. Town Committee

Sandisfield Mass

January 29th 1919

At a meeting of the Republican Town Committee held Jan 29 and organized Henry S  
Manley was voted Chairman and Secretary and Treasurer

Henry S Manley) Chairman  
H S Manley ) Secretary

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
Berkshire SS.

To Henry S Manley, Constable of the town of Sandisfield. Greeting:  
In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby required to notify  
and warn the inhabitants of said town qualified to vote in elections and town af-  
fairs to meet at the Town Hall on Monday March 10th 1919 at ten o'clock A M for the  
following purposes Viz:

Art 1st To choose a moderator to preside at said meeting

Art 2nd To vote by ballot for the town officers and terms thereof as follows  
One Town Clerk for one year





One Town Treasurer for one year  
 Three Selectmen for one year  
 One Assessor for three years  
 One Assessor for one year to fill vacancy  
 One School Committee for three years  
 One School Committee for one year (to fill vacancy)  
 Two Constables for one year  
 One Auditor for one year

And to vote yes or no upon the question shall license be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors in this town?

All of the above named offices and the vote Yes or No shall be brought in on one ballot and the ballots will be furnished the voters at the polling place

- Art 3 To choose all necessary town officers not named in article two  
 Art 4 To hear the report of town officers and act thereon  
 154 Art 5 To see what method the town will adopt in regard to the collection of taxes, prescribed the compensation therefor and pass any vote that may be proper.  
 Art 6 To see if the town will give the Collector of taxes the same power that the Town Treasurers have when they are collectors of taxes  
 Art 7 To choose any agents or committees for the town and give them any instructions or authority  
 Art 8 To act upon the Jury list as presented by the Selectmen  
 Art 9 To see if the town will raise and appropriate \$50.00 to be paid to the Berkshire County Farm Bureau for agriculturan demonstrations work under the direction of the agricultural advisers of the county on lands owned by residents of the town, under the provisions of Section 9 of Chapter 707, of the acts of 1914.  
 Art 10 To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary to pay the expenses of the various town departments. Viz:-  
 General Government - Unclassified - Police Department - Health Department - Inspection of animals - Inspection of Slaughter - Repair of Highways - Repair of Bridges - Opening Roads in Winter - Resurfacing stone road - The support of Schools - Repairs of School houses - Medical inspection of Schools - Superintendent of Schools - Charity Department - Public Library - Cemeteries - Interest - Contingent Fund -  
 Art 11 To see if the town will vote to purchase an Iron Bridge and raise and appropriate money for the same  
 Art 12 To see if the town will raise and appropriate money for Honor Roll or Diplomas  
 155 Art 13 To raise and appropriate a sum for the observance of Memorial Day  
 Art 14 To see if the town will vote to change the date of its annual town election and name a date for the same  
 Art 15 To see if the town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of the revenue of the current financial year

The Polls will be open at Ten o'clock A M and may be closed at Three o'clock P M  
 And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting true and attested copies thereof

One at the Post Office in New Boston  
 One at the Public Library in Montville  
 and one on the Town Hall door

seven days at least before the time of holding said meeting,

Hereof fail not and of this warrant with your doings thereon make due returns to the Town Clerk at or before the time of holding said meeting



Given under our hands at Sandisfield this 24th day of February A D 1919

Frank M Rugg ) Selectmen  
Thomas Tox ) of  
Charles B Soule ) Sandisfield

Sandisfield Mass, March 1st 1919

Berkshire SS

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By virtue of this one within warrant, I have served the same by posting true and attested copies One in the Post Office in New Boston One on the Public Library Montville and one on the Town Hall door as within directed

Henry S Manley Constable

Attest Arthur L Strickland Town Clerk

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Monday March 10th 1919

Meeting called to order by reading warrant

Orlo C Twining and Dennis O'Brien Ballot Clerks

Edman H Strickland was elected Moderator

Voted to take up article 4  
Voted to accept report of Selectmen and other boards  
Voted to take up article 6  
Voted to give Collector of tax the same power the Town Treasurer has when collector  
Voted to take up article 15  
" to authorize Town Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of the revenue of the current financial year, not to exceed Two Thousand Dollars  
" To take up Article 14 which was passed over  
" To take up Article 3  
Voted the following committee

Committee on Cemeteries

No 1 Lewis F Shepard  
No 2 George Crocker  
No 3 Goddard DuBois  
No 4 Julius Brewer  
No 5 James Roberts  
No 6 Edman H Strickland

Field Drivers

Charles B Soule  
William Hart  
Albyram Ives

Pound Keeper

Howard Spring

Fence Viewers

Edman H Strickland  
Amos Spring  
Charles E Whitney

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Care of Town Hall

George Crocker





## Surveyors of Lumber

L H Clark  
B W Ives  
D W Gage

## Measurers of Wood and Bark

Henry S Manley  
Amos Spring  
Rufus Fargo

## Tree Warden

Henry S Manley

## Library Trustee for Three years

Mrs Mary Wohlgemuth

Voted to take up Article 8  
" to accept Article 8  
" to excuse Gilbert W Pruyn from acting on Jury list  
" Orlo C Twining was elected to serve on Jury in place of G W Pruyn  
" to excuse Charles Twining from acting on Jury list  
Sherman L Clark was elected to serve on Jury in place of Charles Twining

## List of Jurors as voted

Charles E Whitney  
Edman H Strickland  
Morrell Roberts  
Lewis T Shepard  
Arthur L Strickland  
Orlo C Twining  
Sherman L Clark  
Joseph M Welch

159 Voted to raise and appropriate the following sums of money

For Observance Memorial Day	\$25
Support of Public Library	40
General Government	700
Unclassified	150
Police Department	600
Inspection of Slaughter	300
Inspection of Animals	25
Repair of Highways	2500
Repair of Bridges	500
Opening Roads in Winter	200
Resurfacing Stone Road	400
Support of Schools	3520
Support of Poor	500
Care of Cemeteries	200
Interest	100
Contingent Fund	200
Honor Roll or Diplomsa	40
	<u>\$9400</u>

Voted to pass over Article 9  
" to take up Article 5  
" that the Chair receive bids for the collection of taxes



159 Voted to take up article 11  
 " to have the Town build an Iron Bridge  
 " to have the construction of Iron Bridge left in the hands of the  
 Selectmen  
 " to take up Article 12  
 Unanimously voted that the Selectmen and the Superintendent of  
 Schools of the Town of Sandisfield be instructed to the members  
 of the Legislature from this district, That the citizens of  
 Sandisfield request that every effort be made to pass certain  
 bills before the Legislature regarding the redistributions of  
 the Massachusetts School Fund and State Aid towards the payment  
 of teachers salaries.

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Polls closed at 3 o'clock. Ballots assorted and counted and the following is a true copy of vote being seventy-two votes cast

For	Town Clerk			
	Arthur L Strickland	had	Sixty-four votes	64
	Blanks		Eight	8
				<u>72</u>
	Town Treasurer			
	Frank M Rugg	had	sixty-six votes	66
	Blanks		six	6
				<u>72</u>
	Selectmen			
	Thomas Fox	had	fifty-one votes	51
	William Gremier	had	thirty-seven votes	37
	Frank M Rugg	had	sixty votes	60
	Edman H Strickland	had	thirty-two	32
	Blanks		thirty-six	36
				<u>216</u>
	Assessor for Three years			
	Henry S Manley	had	fifty-nine votes	59
	Blanks		thirteen	13
				<u>72</u>
	Assessor for One year			
	Harry H Rogers	had	forty-seven votes	47
	Blanks		Twenty-five	25
				<u>72</u>
	School Committee for Three years			
	William Gremier	had	twenty-seven votes	27
	R Emeline Strickland	had	forty votes	40
	Blanks		eight	8
				<u>75</u>
	School Committee for One year			
	L Etta Burgess	had	seventeen votes	17
	Burton W Ives	had	forty-six votes	46
	Blanks		twelve	12
				<u>75</u>
161	Constable for One year			
	Wellington B Fuller	had	fifty-one votes	51
	Henry S Manley	had	forty-four votes	44
	Blanks		forty-nine	49
				<u>144</u>
	Auditor			
	James J Benson	had	forty-nine votes	49
	Blanks		twenty-three	23
				<u>72</u>





161 Shall license be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors in this town?  
Yes Thirty-six 36  
No Twenty-two 22  
Blanks 14  
72

Attest

Arthur L Strickland Town Clerk

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Sandisfield Mass Jan 20, 1919

The undersigned Selectmen of Sandisfield hereby appoint Charles D Strickland Forest Warden for the ensuing year, the same having been approved by the State Warden

Frank M Rugg ) Selectmen  
Thomas Fox ) of  
Charles B Soule ) Sandisfield

Attest

Arthur L Strickland Town Clerk

162 Sandisfield Mass Mch 12, 1919

The undersigned Selectmen of Sandisfield hereby appoint Samuel Wilber as Game Warden for the year ensuing

Frank M Rugg ) Selectmen  
Thomas Fox ) of  
William Gremler ) Sandisfield

Sandisfield Mass Mch 12, 1919

The undersigned Selectmen of Sandisfield hereby appoint Winthrop B Twining Inspector of Animals for the ensuing year, the same having been approved by the Commissioner of animal Inspector

Frank M Rugg ) Selectmen  
Thomas Fox ) of  
William Gremler ) Sandisfield

Sandisfield Mass March 31, 1919

The undersigned Selectmen of Sandisfield hereby appoint Thomas Fox Superintendent of Streets for the year ensuing

Frank M Rugg )  
Thomas Fox )  
William Gremler )

163 New Boston, Mass April 22, 1919

Notice is hereby given that Harry Rogers, Henry Winship and Rufus W Fargo have been appointed Inspectors of slaughter for the year ending March 31st 1920 the same having been approved by the State Board of Health

Frank M Rugg ) Selectmen  
Thomas Fox ) of  
William Gremler ) Sandisfield

New Boston, Mass May 6, 1919



163 New Boston, Mass, May 6, 1919

The undersigned Selectmen of Sandisfield hereby appoint Frank E Manchester as  
Sealer of Weights and Measures for the ensuing year

Frank M Rugg ) Selectmen  
Thomas Fox ) of  
William Gremler ) Sandisfield

164 Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Berkshire SS

To Wellington B Fuller Constable of the town of Sandisfield  
Greeting-- In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby re-  
quired to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town qualified to vote in elections  
and town affairs to meet at the Town Hall on Wednesday May 28th 1919 at Two o'clock  
P M for the following purposes

Art 1 To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting

Art 2 To raise and appropriate money to pay for the iron bridge which is to  
be erected across Clam River near the residence of L H Clark

Art 3 To see if the town will authorize its treasurer and Selectmen to borrow  
such sum of money as the meeting may determine in payment for the bridge  
named in article two giving a note or notes of the town for the same

Art 4 To see if the town will vote to purchase a railing for the bridge in  
New Boston and raise and appropriate money for the same

You are directed to serve this warrant by posting true and attested copies  
thereof in five public places in said town seven days at least before the time of  
holding said meeting. Hereof fail not and of this Warrant with your doings thereon  
make due return to the Town Clerk on or before the time of holding said meeting.

165 Given under our hands at Sandisfield this 11th day of May A D 1919

Frank M Rugg ) Selectmen  
Thomas Fox ) of  
William Gremler ) Sandisfield

By virtue of this warrant I have written and posted in five public places on this  
20th day of May 1919

W B Fuller Constable

Attest

Arthur L Strickland Town Clerk

166 Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Berkshire SS

To Wellington B Fuller Constable of the town of Sandisfield  
Greeting:- In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby  
required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town qualified to vote in  
elections and town affairs to meet at the Town Hall on Wednesday May 28th 1919 at  
Two o'clock P M for the following purpose:

Art 1 To choose a moderator to preside at said meeting

Art 2 To raise and appropriate money to pay for the iron bridge which is to b3





be erected across Clam River near the residence of L H Clark

Art 3 To see if the Town will authorize its Treasurer and Selectmen to borrow such sums of money as the meeting may determine in payment for the bridge named in Article two giving a note or notes of the town for the same.

Art 4 To see if the Town will vote to purchase a railing for the bridge in New Boston and raise and appropriate money for the same

You are directed to serve this warrant by posting true and attested copies thereof in five public places in said town seven days at least before the time of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not and of this warrant with your doings make due return to the Town Clerk on or before the time of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands at Sandisfield this 17th day of May AD 1919

Frank M Rugg ) Selectmen  
Thomas Fox ) of  
William Gremler ) Sandisfield

By virtue of this warrant I have written and posted five public places on this 20th day of May 1919

W B Fuller Constable

Attest

Arthur L Strickland Town Clerk

(Second copy)

Wednesday May 28 1919

Meeting called to order

Article 1 Moderator, Edman H Strickland

Article 4 Voted to raise \$275.00 to pay for a railing on the Iron Bridge at New Boston Mass

Article 2 Voted to appropriate \$2500 for an Iron Bridge across Clam River near the residence of L H Clark

Voted to use \$1000.00 of the surplus in payment on the Iron Bridge

Voted that the sum of be assessed this year in payment for Iron Bridge

Voted that Selectmen be authorized to use the full sum of money in the Winsted Savings Bank for the payment on Iron Bridge

Voted to authorize the Town Treasurer with the approval of the selectmen be and hereby is authorized to borrow money not to exceed One thousand dollars (\$1000.00) in payment of an Iron Bridge and to give two notes one for \$500 to be assessed in the year 1920, and one note for \$500 to be assessed in the year 1921.

Unanimous vote.

Voted to adjourn without date

Attest Arthur L Strickland



169 Board of Selectmen  
Sandisfield Mass

New Boston, Mass Sept 11, 1919

We the undersigned, Selectmen of Sandisfield hereby appoint Frank Humphrey Collector of taxes for said town for the year ensuing at 1/2%

Frank M Rugg) Selectmen of  
Thomas Fox ) Sandisfield

Attest

Arthur L Strickland Town Clerk

170 The Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
Berkshire SS

To either of the Constables of the Town of Sandisfield  
Greeting

In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town who are qualified to vote in Primaries to meet in Town Hall on Tuesday the Twenty Third day of September 1919 at Two O'clock P M for the following purposes:

To bring in their votes to the Primary Officers for the Nomination of Candidates of Political Parties for the following offices

Governor	for this Commonwealth
Lieutenant Governor	" " "
Secretary	" " "
Treasurer and Receiver General	" " "
Auditor	" " "
Attorney General	" " "
Councillor	" 8 Councillor District
Senator	" 8 Senatorial "
One Representative in General Court	" 6 Representative "
County Commissioner	" Berkshire County
Two Associate Commissioners	" " "
District Attorney	" Western District

171 And for the Election of the Following Officers:

District Member of State Committee for each political party for the 8 Senatorial District

3 Members of the Democratic Town Committee

3 " " " Republican " "

Delegates to State Convention of Both Political Parties

All the above candidates and officers are to be voted for upon one Ballot

The polls will be open from Two P M to Four P M

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof seven days at least before the time of said meeting as directed by vote of the town

Hereof fail not and make return of this warrant with your doings thereon at the time and place of said meeting

Given under our hands this 18th day of September A D 1919

Frank M Rugg )  
Thomas Fox )  
William Gremler)

Sandisfield Mass Sept 16th 1919

Berkshire SS

By virtue of this the within warrant I have served the same by posting attested copies one in Post Office New Boston, one in Post Office in South Sandisfield, one





171 in Public Library building in Montville, one on School House, Beach Plain, one on Town House Door seven days before the date for said meeting

Henry S Manley Constable

Attest Arthur L Strickland Town Clerk

172

(Primaries Election)

Sandisfield Mass. Sept 23rd 1919

Meeting called to order and Warrant read by Arthur L Strickland, Town Clerk

Ballot Clerks Wesley N Clark Dennis O'Brien

Polls were opened at 2 P M and 10 Ballots were cast as follows

Governor

Calvin Coolidge	Five	5
Frederick S Deitrick	One	1
Eugene M Foss	None	0
Richard H Long	Three	3
George F Manahan	One	1
Blanks	None	0

Lieutenant Governor

Channing H Cox	Four	4
John F J Harbert	Five	5
Blanks	One	1

Secretary

Albert P Langtry	Four	4
Charles H McGhue	Five	5
Blanks	One	1

Treasurer

Fred J Burrell	Three	3
Charles L Gifford	None	0
Fred P R Greenwood	None	0
Frederick N Kerr	None	0
Frank S Perkins	None	0
Frederick E Pierce	Two	2
Chandler M Wood	Five	5
Blanks	None	0

173 Auditor

Alonzo B Cook	Five	5
Arthur J C Cartier	Five	5
Blanks	None	0

Attorney General

J Weston Allen	One	1
Robert J Bottomly	None	0
James Matt Hallwell	Two	2
William Harold Hitchcock	One	1
Clarence W Rowley	One	1
David Stoneman	None	0
Joseph A Conry	Five	5
Blanks	None	0

Councillor

Harvey L Bowles	Four	4
Blanks	Six	6



173 Senator, Berkshire, Hampshire and Hampden District  
Leonard F Hardy Five 5  
Blanks Five 5

Representative in General Court (Sixth District)  
Orlando C Bidwell Five 5  
Blanks Five 5

County Commissioner (Berkshire)  
John A Bond Four 4  
John F Confen One 1  
William F Grenier Four 4  
Blanks One 1

Associate Commissioner (Berkshire County)  
John R Henderson One 1  
Robert S Tillottsin Four 4  
Blanks Fifteen 15

174 District Attorney (Western District)  
Arthur Baker One 1  
Josiah Dearborn None 0  
Archer R Simpson None 0  
Richard Talbott None 0  
Charles H Wright Four 4  
Thomas C Maher Four 4  
Blanks One 1

State Committee (Berkshire Hampden and Hampshire District)  
Harry B Putnam Five 5  
Blanks Five 5

Delegate to State Convention (Sandisfield)  
F M Rugg Two 2  
Henry S Manley Two 2  
Blanks Six 6

Town Committee (Town of Sandisfield)  
Thomas Fox Five 5  
Wellington B Fuller Three 3  
Rufus W Fargo Three 3  
Henry S Manley Four 4  
Chas B Soule Three 3  
Orlo C Twining Two 2  
B W Ives One 1  
F M Rugg Two 2  
Blanks Seven 7

The Polls were closed at 4:00 P M

Voted to Adjourn without date

Attest

Arthur L Strickland  
Town Clerk





175 New Boston Mass, Oct 31, 1919

Auctioneers License

This is to certify that Henry S Manley of the town of Sandisfield has been duly licensed by the Board of Selectmen to sell at public auction any goods or chattels real or personal estates according to law from this date untill the first day of November 1920 in said town except on occasions of such sales as our prohibited by law to be held in other places within the State

Frank M Rugg ) Selectmen of  
Thomas Fox ) Sandisfield

Arthur L Strickland Town Clerk

New Boston Mass, Nov 26th 1919

The undersigned Selectmen of Sandisfield hereby appoint Edman H Strickland as Burial Agent for the Town of Sandisfield for the year ensuing

F M Rugg ) Selectmen of  
Thomas Fox ) Sandisfield

Attest Arthur L Strickland Town Clerk

176 Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
Berkshire SS

To Wellington B Fuller, Constable of the town of Sandisfield Greeting:-

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town qualified to vote in Elections to meet at the Town Hall on Tuesday the Fourth day of November A D 1919 at 10 O Clock A M to cast their Ballots for the following Officers.

A Governor of the Commonwealth

A Lieutenant Governor of the Commonwealth

A Secretary of the Commonwealth

A Treasurer of the Commonwealth

An Auditor of the Commonwealth

An Attorney General of the Commonwealth

A Councillor for the Eighth Councillor District

A Senator for the Berkshire, Hampshire and Hampden Senatorial District

One Representative in the General Court for the Sixth representative District

One County Commissioner for Berkshire County

Two Associate Commissioners for Berkshire County

One District Attorney for the Western District

Also the vote "Yes or No" upon the following questions

No 1 Acceptance of the rearrangement of the Constitution of the Commonwealth submitted by the Constitutional Convention.

No 2 Acceptance of Chapter 311, General Acts of 1919 entitled "An Act relative to the establishment and Maintenance of Continuation Schools and Courses of instruction for employed Minors"

No 3 Acceptance of Chapter 116 General Acts of 1919 entitled "an Act to authorize savings Banks and institutions for saving, and Trust companies having a savings department to place Deposits on Interest Monthly" (Referendum)

177 No 4 Question of Public Policy under Chapter 819 Acts of 1913, "Shall the Senator from this District be instructed to vote for legislative to regulate and license the manufacture and sale of beverages containing not over four percent of Alcohol by weight and to define same to be non-intoxicating.

The votes for the above named officers and the vote "yes or No" upon the above



177 questions shall be brought in on one ballot and the ballots will be furnished the voters at the polling place. The polls will be opened at Ten O'clock A M and may be closed at Three O'clock P M, and you are directed to serve this warrant by posting true and attested copies in Three public places in said Town, seven days at least before the time of holding said Meeting

Hereof fail not and of this warrant with your doings thereon make due return to the Town Clerk at or before the time of holding said meeting

Given under our hands at Sandisfield this 23rd day of October A D 1919

)  
Frank M Rugg) Selectmen of  
Thomas Fox ) Sandisfield

By virtue of this warrant, I have written and posted in three public places

Attest

Wellington B Fuller, Constable

Arthur L Strickland, Town Clerk

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Sandisfield Mass. Nov 4th 1919

Meeting called to order by Frank M Rugg and warrant read by Arthur L Strickland Town Clerk

Moderator Frank M Rugg

Ballot Clerks Dennis O'Brien, Henry S Manley

Polls were opened at 10 O'clock A M and fifty five (55) Ballots were cast as follows

Governor

Calvin Coolidge	Forty Three	43
Chandler B Ernst	Two	2
William A King	None	0
Richard H Long	Ten	10
Ingvar Paulsen	None	0
Blanks	None	0

Lieutenant Governor

Charles J Brandt	One	1
Canning H Cox	Thirty Eight	38
H Edward Gordon	Two	2
John F J Herbert	Ten	10
Patrick Muligan	None	0
Blanks	Four	4

Secretary

Harry W Bowman	Three	3
James Hayes	None	0
Albert P Langtry	Forty	40
Charles H McGlue	Nine	9
Herbert H Thompson	None	0
Blank	Three	3

179 Treasurer

Fred J Burrell	Forty Two	42
David Craig	None	0
Charles D Fletcher	Two	2
Louis Marcus	None	0
Chandler M Wood	Nine	9
Blanks	Two	2





179	Auditor		
	Arthur J B Carter	Ten	10
	Alonzo B Cook	Thirty Seven	37
	Oscar Kinsalas	None	0
	Walter P J Skahan	None	0
	Henry J D Small	Two	2
	Blanks	Six	6
	Attorney General		
	J Weston Allen	Thirty Eight	38
	Morris J Becker	Two	2
	Joseph A Conry	Eleven	11
	Conrad W Crokker	Two	2
	William R Henry	Nine	9
	Blanks	Two	2
	Councillor Eight District		
	Henry L Bowles	Forty Four	44
	Blanks	Eleven	11
	Senator, Berkshire, Hampshire and Hampden District		
	Dewitt C Dewolf	Fourteen	14
	Leonard F Hardy	Thirty Three	33
	Blanks	Eight	8
	Representative in General Court Sixth Berkshire District		
	Orlando C Bidwell	Forty Six	46
	Blanks	Nine	9
180	County Commissioner Berkshire County		
	John A Bond	Thirty Nine	39
	William Grenier	Thirteen	13
	Blanks	Three	3
	Associate Commissioners Berkshire County		
	John Henderson	Thirty Eight	38
	Robbert S Tillotson	Twenty Nine	29
	Blanks	Forty Three	43
	District Attorney Western district		
	Thomas C Maher	Thirteen	13
	Charles H Wright	Thirty Nine	39
	Blanks	Three	3
	Art No 1 Rearrangement of the Constitution		
	Yes	Twenty One	21
	No	Eight	8
	Blanks	Twenty Six	26
	Art No 2 Shall act passed by General Court Chapter 311 Acts of 1919 be excepted		
	Yes	Twenty Two	22
	No	Six	6
	Blanks	Twenty Seven	27



180 Art No 3 Acceptance of Chapter 116 General Acts of 1919

Yes	Twenty Five	25
No	Six	6
Blanks	Twenty Four	24

Art No 4 Question of Public Policy under Chapter 819 Acts of 1913

Yes	Twenty Eight	28
No	Eleven	11
Blanks	Sixteen	16

Voted that when the Polls close the be closed at Three O'Clock

Voted to adjourn without date

Attest Arthur L Strickland Town Clerk

181 Canvass of Votes For Representative District No. 6

Berkshire SS Commonwealth of Massachusetts

The undersigned clerks of the several towns comprising the Representative District No Six (6) in said County met at the Town Clerks office in Great Barrington, at twelve o'clock noon, on Friday the 14th day of November 1919 and hereby certify that they did then and there examine all the attested copies of the records of the votes of the aforementioned towns at their several meetings on Tuesday, November 4th 1919 The result being as follows:

The whole number of votes cast was 1483

For Orlando C Bidwell  
of Great Barrington

Edward R Brophy of Great Barrington  
Received Two Votes

The following received one vote each

In Great Barrington	725
" Stockbridge	220
" Sheffield	167
" West Stockbridge	103
" Egremont	79
" Alford	38
" Mt Washington	14
" Sandisfield	46
" New Marlboro	83

Julius P Adams of Great Barrington
Dwight B Cornell of Great Barrington
William Lincy of Stockbridge
Charles B Searing of Stockbridge
Peter I Adams of Stockbridge
Michael E Troy of West Stockbridge

And the said Orlando C Bidwell was declared Elected

Attest	Edward Kelley	Town Clerk	of Great Barrington
	Adam Schilling	" "	" Stockbridge
	Henry C Clark	" "	" of Sheffield
	Fred B Tobey	" "	" West Stockbridge
	George Boice	" "	" of Egremont
	Sterling E Millard	" "	" of Alford
	Alfred G Shurr	" "	" of Mt Washington
	Arthur L Strickland	" "	" of Sandisfield
	Henry Fay	" "	" of New Marlboro

Attest

Arthur L Strickland  
Town Clerk





182 Sandisfield Mass Jan 8, 1920

The undersigned Selectmen of Sandisfield hereby appoint Charles D Strickland as Forest Warden for the year 1920 he having been approved by the Mass State Forester.

Attest

Arthur L Strickland Town Clerk

F M Rugg ) Selectmen of  
Thomas Fox ) Sandisfield

New Boston Mass Jan 20, 1920

Town Clerk

Town of Sandisfield

Dear Sir:

This is to notify you that the Democratic Town Committee of the Town of Sandisfield Mass for the year 1920 met on Jan 17, 1920 and organized as follows:-

Thomas Fox Chairman  
Wellington B Fuller Secretary  
Rufus W Fargo Treasurer

Attest

Arthur L Strickland Town Clerk

Sandisfield Mass Feb 13, 1920

At a meeting of the Republican Town Committee held Monday Feb 9 Joseph Welch was elected one of the board to fill facancy and Henry S Manley Chairman Charles B Soule Secretary and Joseph Welch Treasurer for one year ensuing

183 Henry S Manley Chairman  
Charles B Soule Secretary  
Joseph Welch Treasurer

Attest

Arthur L Strickland Town Clerk

184

Warrant for Annual Town Meeting March 8, 1920

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Berkshire SS

To Henry S Manley Constable of the town of Sandisfield - Greeting:-

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town qualified to vote in elections and town affairs to meet at the Town Hall on Monday March eighth at Ten O'Clock A M for the following purpose. Viz:-

Art 1 To choose a moderator to preside at said meeting

Art 2 To vote by ballot for town officers and terms thereof as follows:-  
One Town Clerk for the term of one year  
One Town Treasurer for the term of one year  
Three Selectmen for the term of one year  
One assessor for the term of three years  
One School Committee for the term of three years  
Two Constables for the term of one year  
One Auditor for the term of one year



- 184 And to vote "yes or no" upon the question Shall license be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors in this town?  
All of the above name officers and the vote "yes or no" shall be brought in on one ballot and the ballots will be furnished at the polling place
- Art 3 To choose all necessary town officers not named in article two
- Art 4 To hear the report of town officers and act thereon
- 185 Art 5 To see what method the town will adopt in regard to the collection of taxes, prescribe the compensation therefore and pass any vote that may be proper
- Art 6 To see if the town will vote to give the collector of taxes the same power that Town Treasurers have when they ar Collector of taxes
- Art 7 To choose any committee or agents for the town and give them any instructions or authority
- Art 8 To act upon the Jury list as presented by the Selectmen
- Art 9 To see if the town will raise and appropriate the sum of twenty-five dollars or any other amount and choose a director for demonstration work in agriculture and home economics, the money to be expended by and the director to serve in cooperation with the County Trustees for and to agriculture of the Berkshire County Farm Bureau, under the provisions of Chapter 273 of the acts of 1918
- Art 10 To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary to pay the expenses of the various town departments Viz:-  
General Government - Unclassified - Police Department - Health Department  
Inspection of Animals - Inspection of Slaughter - Repair of Highways -  
186 Repairs of Bridges - Opening Roads in Winter - For the support of  
Schools - For the Charity Department - Public Library - Contingent fund  
and for any other purpose that may be necessary
- Art 11 To see if the town will vote to buy Surety Bonds for its bonded officers and raise and appropriate money for the same
- Art 12 To see if the town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of the revenue of the currect financial year

The polls will be opened at ten o'clock A M and may be closed at three o'clock P M and you are directed to serve this warrant by posting true and attested copies thereof in three public places in said town seven days at least before the time of holdingsaid meeting

Hereof fail not and of this warrant with your doings thereon and make due return to the Town Clerk at or before the time of holding said meeting

Given under our hands at Sandisfield this twenty-fifth day of February A D 1920

Frank M Rugg) Selectmen of  
Thomas Fox ) Sandisfield

Berkshire SS  
Sandisfield Mass March 1 1920





187 Berkshire SS Sandisfield Mass March 1, 1920

By virtue of this the within warrant I have served the same by posting true and attested copies in three public places, One in Montville , One on Town Hall and one in Post Office in New Boston seven days before the time of said meeting

Attest

Arthur L Strickland Town Clerk

Henry S Manley Constable of the  
Town of Sandisfield

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Sandisfield Mass March 8th 1920

Meeting called to order and warrant read by Arthur L Strickland Town Clerk at 10 o'clock A M

Moderator Frank M Rugg

motion made and voted unanimously to adjourn to Saturday March 12, 1920 at 10 o'clock A M

Sandisfield Mass March 13, 1920

Voted to take up article 4

Voted to accept the Town Report

Voted to take up article 6

Voted to give the Collector of Taxes the same power as Town Treasurers have when they are Collector of Taxes

Voted to take up Article 7

Voted Henry S Manley Town Agent

Art 8 Voted to excuse Joseph Welch from Jury List

Charles Cronk chosen in place of Joseph Welch

Voted to accept Jury list

List of Jurors as voted

Charles E Whitney

Morrell W Roberts

Lewis F Shepard

Arthur L Strickland

Orlo C Twining

Charles Cronk

Fredrick P Whitney

Harry Rogers

Art 9 Voted to take up article 9

George Ulett appointed director

189 Voted to lay article 5 on the table

Art 11 Voted to buy bonds for the bonded officers

Art 12 Voted That the town treasurer, with the approval of the selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow money from time to time not to exceed \$3000 in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning Jan 1, 1920, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the revenue of said financial year

Art 3 Committee of Cemeteries



189 Art 3

Committee on Cemeteries

No 1 Lewis Shepard  
No 2 George Crocker  
No 3 Goddard DuBois  
No 4 Julius Brewer  
No 5 James Roberts  
No 6 Harry Rogers

Field Drivers

Charles D Strickland  
William Hart  
Daniel Gage

Pound Keeper

Charles D Strickland

Fence Viewers

Edman H Strickland  
Lewis F Shepard  
Charles E Whitney

Care of Town Hall

George Crocker

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Surveyors of Lumber

Lyman H Clark  
Edwin R Soule  
Daniel W Gage

Measurers of Wood & Bark

Henry S Manley  
Thomas Fox  
Rufus Fargo

Tree Warden

Henry S Manley

Library Trustees for Three Years

Fanny Winship  
Wesley N Clark

Art 10

Voted to raise and appropriate the following sums of money.

For General Government	\$1000.00
For Police Department	50 00
For Forest Fires	75 00
For Inspection of Slaughter	300 00
For Opening Roads in Winter	\$1000 00
For Repairing Roads	3000 00
For Repairing Bridges	400 00
For Support of Poor	400 00
For Soldiers Relief	150 00
For Public Library	125 00
For Support of Schools	4500 00
For Demonstration work Art 9	25 00
For Bonds for Bonded Officers	100 00

\$11125.00





190 Voted to close Polls at 3 o'clock P M

The Ballots were counted and were as follows

Town Clerk

Arthur L Strickland	had	thirty	30
Blank		eight	8

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Town Treasurer

Thomas Fox	had	One	1
Charles D Strickland	had	Seven	7
Blanks		Thirty	30

Selectmen

Thomas Fox had	had	Twenty-nine	29
Daniel W Gage	had	Twenty-six	26
Charles D Strickland	had	Thirty-one	31
Edman H Strickland	had	Eight	8
Winthrop B Twining	had	Ten	10
Blanks		Ten	10

Assessor For Three Years

Wellington B Fuller	had	None	0
Harry H Rogers	had	Thirteen	13
Winthrop B Twining	had	Twenty-four	24
Blanks		One	1

School Committee for Three Years

Henry S Manley	had	Twenty-four	24
Herbert L Wilber	had	Thirteen	13
Blanks			1

Constables for One Year

Wellington B Fuller	had	One	1
Henry S Manley	had	Thirty-one	31
Blanks		Forty-four	44

Auditor for One Year

James J Benson	had	Twenty-four	24
Frank Manchester	had	Eleven	11
Blanks		Three	3

Shall License be Granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors in the town

Yes	Twenty-six	26
No	Six	6
Blanks	Six	6

192

Voted Charles D Strickland asked to be excused from serving as Town Treasurer unanimously to excuse Charles D Strickland from serving as Town Treasurer

Voted to adjourn without date

Attest Arthur L Strickland  
Town Clerk



Sandisfield Mass, March 15, 1920

To Henry S Manley Constable of the town of Sandisfield

Greeting:-

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby warned to Notify all persons elected at the annual Town Meeting to appear before the Town Clerk within seven days at least from date of said meeting and take the oath prescribed by law to the office to which they were elected

Hereof fail not, and make due returns of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk four days from the date hereof.

Town Clerk        Arthur L Strickland X

Town Treasurer        None

Selectmen        Thomas Fox X

"        Charles D Strickland X

"        Daniel W Gage X

Assessor for Three years Winthrop B Twining X

Constable Henry S Manley X

Measurers of wood and bark Henry S Manley

"        "        "        Thomas Fox

"        "        "        Rufus Fargo

) Charles D Strickland X

Field Drivers) William Hart X

) Daniel Gage

Fence Viewers) Edman H Strickland X

) Lewis F Shepard X

) Charles E Whitney X

Pound Keeper) Charles D Strickland

Sandisfield March 16 1920

Arthur L Strickland Town Clerk

Sandisfield Mass March 19 1920

Berkshire SS

By virtue of this one within warrant I have served the same as within directed

Henry S Manley Constable of Sandisfield

192        Sandisfield Mass March 15 1920

Selectmen organized

Thomas Fox        Chairman

Charles D Strickland        Secretary

Daniel W Gage

This is to certify that we have this day appointed Thomas Fox Town Treasurer of the town of Sandisfield

Thomas Fox        ) Selectmen

Charles D Strickland) of

Daniel W Gage        ) Sandisfield

Sandisfield March 15, 1920





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Sandisfield March 15 1920

Notice is hereby given that Rufus W Fargo, Harry Rogers & Henry Winship have been appointed Inspectors of Slaughter for the year ending March 31st 1921. The same having been approved by the State Board of Health

Thomas Fox ) Selectmen  
Charles D Strickland ) of  
Daniel W Gage ) Sandisfield

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Sandisfield Mass March 15 1920

The undersigned Selectmen of Sandisfield hereby appoint Joseph M Welch as Sealer of Weights and Measures for the ensuing year

Thomas Fox ) Selectmen  
Charles D Strickland ) of  
Daniel W Gage ) Sandisfield

Sandisfield Mass March 15 1920

The undersigned Selectmen of Sandisfield hereby appoint Jason Sears Game Warden for the year ensuing

Thomas Fox ) Selectmen  
Charles D Strickland ) of  
Daniel W Gage ) Sandisfield

Sandisfield Mass March 25 1920

This is to certify that the undersigned Selectmen of Sandisfield do hereby appoint Winthrop B Twining as Inspector of animals for the year beginning April 1 1920. The same having been approved by the Commissioner of Animal Inspection

Thomas Fox ) Selectmen  
Charles D Strickland ) of  
Daniel W Gage ) Sandisfield

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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Berkshire SS

To either of the Constables of the Town of Sandisfield

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town who are qualified to vote in Primaries to meet in Town Hall Tuesday, the Twenty-seventh day of April 1920 at two o'clock P M for the following purposes:-

To bring in their votes to the Primary Officers for the Election of Candidates of Political Parties for the following offices

- 4 Delegates At Large to the National Convention of the Republican Party
- 4 Alternate Delegates At Large to the National Convention of the Republican Party
- 4 Delegates at Large to the National Convention of the Democratic Party
- 4 Alternate Delegates at Large to the National Convention of the Democratic Party
- 2 District Delegates to the National Convention of the Republican Party



195 Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
Berkshire S S

To Henry S Manley Constable of the Town of Sandisfield  
Greeting

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby required to notify and warn all the inhabitants of said town qualified to vote in elections and town affairs to meet at the Town Hall on Monday May 17th 1920, at ten o'clock A M to act on the following articles. Namely:-

Art I To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting

Art II To vote to raise and appropriate such sum of money as is necessary to pay for the opening of roads during the past winter

And the Selectmen give notice that the meeting will be called to order at ten 10 o'clock A M and you are directed to serve this warrant by posting true and attested copies thereof in five public places in said town seven days at least before the time of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not, and of this warrant with your doings thereon make due return to the Town Clerk of said town at or before the time of holding said meeting

Given under our hands at Sandisfield this Fifth Day of May 1920

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Thomas Fox ) Selectmen  
Charles D Strickland ) of  
Daniel W Gage ) Sandisfield

Attest Arthur H Strickland  
Town Clerk

Sandisfield Mass. May 8, 1920  
Berkshire S S

By virtue of this the within warrant I have served the same by posting true attest copies one in Montville, one in South Sandisfield, one in Beach Plain, one on Town Hall door and one in New Boston, seven days before the time of holding said meeting

H S Manley, Constable

Attest Arthur L Strickland  
Town Clerk

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Sandisfield Mass, May 17th 1920

Meeting called to order and warrant read by Arthur L Strickland, Town Clerk

Daniel W Gage chosen Moderator

Motion made and second to appropriate and raise \$800.00 for opening Roads for the winter of 1919-1920

Voted to Appropriate and Raise \$800.00 for the opening of Roads in the Winter 1919-1920

Voted to adjourn without date

Attest  
Arthur L Strickland  
Town Clerk





Berkshire SS

To either of the constables of the Town of Sandisfield

Greeting: In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the said town who are qualified to vote in Primaries to meet in the Town Hall on Tuesday the seventh day of September, 1920, at Two o'clock P M for the following purposes:

To bring in their votes to the Primary Officers for the Nomination of Candidates of Political Parties for the following officers

- Governor for this Commonwealth
- Lieutenant Governor for this Commonwealth
- Secretary of the Commonwealth for this Commonwealth
- Treasurer and Receiver General for this Commonwealth
- Auditor of the Commonwealth for this Commonwealth
- Attorney General for this Commonwealth
- Congressman for First Congressional District
- Councillor for 8th Councillor District
- Senator for Berkshire, Hampshire & Hampden Senatorial District
- Representative in General Court for 6th Representative District
- County Commissioner for Berkshire County
- Sheriff for Berkshire County
- Associate County Commissioners for Berkshire County
- And for the Election of the following Officers:
- District members of State Committee for each political party for the - - - Senatorial District
- Three members of the Democratic Town Committee
- Three members of the Republican Town Committee
- One Delegate to state convention of the Democratic Party
- One Delegate to state convention of the Republican party

199 The Polls will open from Two to Four P M

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof seven days at least before the time of said meeting as directed by vote of the town

Hereof fail not and make return of this warrant with your doings thereon at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this Sixteenth day of August A D 1920

Thomas Fox ) Selectmen  
Charles D Strickland ) of  
Daniel W Gage ) Sandisfield

Sandisfield Mass August 30, 1920  
Berkshire S S

By virtue of this warrant I have served the same by posting true and attested copies of the same on the Town Hall Door, One in New Boston Post Office, One on School House in South Sandisfield, One on Public Library in Montville, One on School House at Beach Plain seven days before said meeting

Henry S Manley  
Constable

Attest  
Arthur L Strickland  
Town Clerk



Sept 7, 1920

Meeting called to order and warrant read by Arthur L Strickland Town Clerk

Ballot clerks Orlo C Twining Joseph O'Brien

Polls were opened at 2 O'clock P M and 11 ballots were cast as follows:

## Governor

Richard Long	Two	2
John J Walker	One	1
Channing H Cox	Five	5
Blanks	Three	3

## Lieutenant Governor

Michael A O'Leary	Four	4
Charles H Burrell	One	1
Alvan T Fuller	None	0
Albert P Langtry	Four	4
Joseph Warren	One	1
Blanks	One	1

## Secretary

Charles H McGlue	Two	2
James W Bean	One	1
Frederick W Cook	Two	2
Samuel W George	None	0
James G Harris	One	1
Russell A Wood	Two	2
Blanks	Three	3

## Treasurer

Patrick O'Heron	Two	2
Fred J Burrell	Two	2
Frederick M Kerr	Three	3
Blanks	Four	4

## 201 Auditor

Alice E Cram	Two	2
Walter P Babb	Four	4
Alonzo B Cook	Two	2
Blanks	Three	3

## Attorney General

Michael L Sullivan	Three	3
J Weston Allen	Four	4
Blanks	Four	4

## Congressman

Thomas Cassidy	Three	3
Allen T Treadway	Six	6
Blanks	Two	2

## Councillor

John J Murphy	Three	3
Francis W Aldrich	Two	2
John B Hull	Three	3
Blanks	Three	3





201	Senator		
	Leonard F Hardy	Five	5
	Blanks	Six	6
	Representative in General Court		
	Orlando C Bidwell	Two	2
	Dwight B Cornell	Four	4
	William L Dubois	One	1
	Blanks	Four	4
	County Commissioner		
	Frank Howard	Three	3
	Robert L Tillotson	Three	3
	Thomas E Foley	Three	3
	William H Shenell	Two	2
	Blanks	Eleven	11
202	Sheriff		
	John Nicholson	Seven	7
	Blanks	Four	4
	Associate Commissioner		
	James H Punderson	Four	4
	Blanks	Seven	7
	State Committee		
	Henry W Soule	One	1
	Blanks	Ten	10
	Delegates to State Committee		
	Henry S Manley	One	1
	Henry W Soule	One	1
	Chas D Strickland	One	1
	Blanks	Eight	8
	Town Committee		
	Edwin A Soule	One	1
	Joseph Welch	One	1
	Orlo C Twining	One	1
	Thomas Fox	One	1
	Chas D Strickland	One	1
	A L Strickland	One	1
	Blanks	Twenty Seven	27

Polls were closed at 4 P M

Voted to adjourn without date

Attest Arthur L Strickland Town Clerk

## 203 (School Committee appointment)

The Selectmen and remaining Board of School Committee met on Sept 7th 1920 to fill vacancy in School Committee and appointed Charlotte Brown to fill said vacancy. Present and voting Thomas Fox and Charles D Strickland Selectmen and Henry S Manley School Committee

Attest Arthur L Strickland Town Clerk



Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
Berkshire S S.

To Henry S Manley, Constable of the town of Sandisfield  
Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby required to notify and warn all the inhabitants of said Town, qualified to vote in elections, to meet at the following place in said town, Namely:- Town Hall, Tuesday, the Second Day of November, 1920, being the Tuesday next after the first Monday in said month, at 10 O'clock in the forenoon, for the following purposes, namely: To bring in their votes to the Election Officers of said town for Presidential Electors, Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Secretary of the Commonwealth, Treasurer and Receiver General, Auditor of the commonwealth, Attorney General, Congressman for the First Congressional District, Councillor for the Eighth Councillor district, Senator for the Berkshire - Hampshire - Hampden Senatorial District, Representative in General Court for the sixth Berkshire County, One County Commissioner for the Berkshire County, one associate County Commissioner for Berkshire County and Sheriff for Berkshire County.

Also to bring in their votes for or against the acceptance of an act entitled "An Act to regulate the manufacture and sale of beer, cider and light wines."

205 All of the above named officers and acts will be voted for on one ballot and the ballots will be furnished the voters by the Election Officers at the above mentioned place.

The polls at said meeting will be open at 10 O'clock A M and may be closed at 3 o'clock P M.

Hereof fail not, and of this warrant with your doings thereon make due return to the Town Clerk at or before the time of said meeting.

Given under our hands and the seal of the said town of Sandisfield, this Twentieth day of October, A D 1920.

Thomas Fox ) Selectmen of  
Charles D Strickland ) the Town of  
Daniel W Gage ) Sandisfield

Sandisfield Mass October 22, 1920  
Berkshire SS

By virtue of this warrant I have served the same by posting true attest copies one on the Public Library in Montville, one on the Town Hall Door and one in Post Office in New Boston seven days before the time of holding the within said meeting.

Henry S Manley  
Constable of Sandisfield

Attest Arthur L Strickland Town Clerk

State Election  
Sandisfield Mass. Nov 2nd 1920

Meeting called to order by Thomas Fox and warrant read by Arthur L Strickland Town Clerk

Moderator Thomas Fox

Ballot Clerks Orlo C Twining Dennis O'Brien

Polls were opened at 10 O clock A M and Eighty Six (86) Ballots were cast as follows (20 Females - 65 Male)

President and Vice President

Cox and Roosevelt	Nineteen	19
Cox and Gillhaus	None	0
Debs and Stedman	Three	3
Harding and Coolidge	Sixty	60
Blanks	Four	4





206	Governor			
	Channing H Cox	Fifty Nine	59	
	Walter S Hutchins	Two	2	
	Patrick Mulligan	None	0	
	John J Walsh	Eighteen	18	
	Blanks	Seven	7	
	Lieutenant Governor			
	Marcus A Coolidge	Nineteen	19	
	David Craig	None	0	
	Alvin T Fuller	Fifty one	51	
	Thomas Nicholson	Two	2	
	Robert M Washburn	None	0	
	Blanks	Fourteen	14	
207	Secretary			
	Frederick W Cook	Fifty Four	54	
	Edward E Ginsburg	Seventeen	17	
	Anthony Houtenbrink	None	0	
	Edith M Williams	Two	2	
	Blanks	Thirteen	13	
	Treasurer			
	George H Jackson	None	0	
	James Jackson	Fifty Five	55	
	Louis Marcus	Two	2	
	Patrick O'Hearn	Eighteen	18	
	Albert L Waterman	None	0	
	Blanks	Eleven	11	
	Auditor			
	Alonzo B Cook	Fifty Five	55	
	Alice E Cram	Fifteen	15	
	Stephen I Surridge	None	0	
	Herbert H Thompson	Two	2	
	Blanks	Fourteen	14	
	Attorney General			
	J Weston Allen	Fifty One	51	
	Morris I Becker	None	0	
	John Weaver Sherman	Two	2	
	Michael L Sullivan	Seventeen	17	
	Blanks	Sixteen	16	
	Congressman			
	Thomas F Cassidy	Twenty	20	
	Allen Treadway	Sixty Three	63	
	Blanks	Three	3	
	Councillor Eighth District			
	Francis W Aldrich	Fifty Six	56	
	John J Murphy	Seventeen	17	
	Blanks	Thirteen	13	
208	Senator			
	Leonard F Hardy	Sixty Eight	68	
	Blanks	Eighteen	18	



208 Representative in General Court

Orlando C Bidwell	Sixty Six	66
Blanks	Twenty	20

County Commissioner

Thomas E Foley	Eighteen	18
Frank Howard	Fifty One	51
William H Shenell	Fifteen	15
Robert S Tillotson	Fifty	50
Blanks	Thirty Eight	38

Sheriff

John Nicholson	Sixty Eight	68
Blanks	Eighteen	18

Associate Commissioner

James H Punderson	Sixty Three	63
Blanks	Twenty Three	23

An Act to Regulate the Manufacture and Sale of Beer, Cider and Light Wines

Yes	Thirty Eight	38
No	Thirty	30
Blanks	Eighteen	18

Voted to close Polls at 3 P M  
Voted to adjourn without date

Attest Arthur L Strickland Town Clerk

209 Canvass of Votes

For Representative District No. 6  
Berkshire SS Commonwealth of Massachusetts

The undersigned clerks of the several towns comprising the Representative District No. 6, in said county, met at the Town Clerk's Office in Great Barrington, at twelve O'clock noon, on Friday the 12th day of November 1920, and hereby certify that they did then and there examine all the attested copies of the records of votes of the aforementioned towns at their several meetings on Tuesday, November 2, 1920 the result being as follows.

The whole number of votes cast was 2607

For Orlando C Bidwell		For Walter S Peck	
of Great Barrington		of Egremont	
In Great Barrington	1257	In Great Barrington	0
In Stockbridge	422	In Stockbridge	0
In Sheffield	292	In Sheffield	1
In West Stockbridge	207	In West Stockbridge	0
In Egremont	144	In Egremont	0
In Alford	42	In Alford	0
In Mt Washington	25	In Mt Washington	0
In Sandisfield	66	In Sandisfield	0
In New Marlboro	151	In New Marlboro	0

And the said Orlando C Bidwell was declared elected  
Attest:

Paulo Fosta  
asst Town clerk og Gt Barrington





209	Adam Shilling	Town Clerk of Stockbridge
	Henry C Clark	" " " Sheffield
	Fred E Foley	" " " West Stockbridge
	George Boice	" " " Egremont
	Sterling E Millard	" " " Alford
	Alfred I Spurr	" " " Mt Washington
	Arthur L Strickland	" " " Sandisfield
	Henry Foy	" " " New Marlboro

Attest     Arthur L Strickland  
    Town Clerk

210     Jan 6th 1921

Town Clerk, Town of Sandisfield

This is to certify that we have this day appointed Joseph Tacy Constable for the Town of Sandisfield, to be effective from date to Town Election in March

Thomas Fox                     ) Selectmen of  
 Charles D Strickland) Sandisfield

New Boston, Mass   Jan 6, 1921  
                          Town Clerk  
                          Town of Sandisfield

Dear Sir:

This is to notify you that the Democratic Town committee of the Town of Sandisfield for the year 1921 met and organized as follows: on Jan 6, 1921

Charles D Strickland chairman  
 Thomas Fox Treasurer  
 A L Strickland Secretary

Attest  
                          Arthur L Strickland  
    Town Clerk

Sandisfield, Mass   Feb 10th 1921  
                          Town Clerk  
                          Sandisfield, Mass.

Dear Sir:

This is to notify you that the Republican Town Committee of the Town of Sandisfield met and organized on Feb 10, 1921, as follows

Orlo C Twining chairman  
 E A Soule Secretary and Treasurer  
 Joseph Welsh  
 Frank S Humphrey

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E A Soule, Sec.

Attest  
                          Arthur L Strickland  
    Town Clerk

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## Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Berkshire SS.

To Joseph Tacy constable of the Town of Sandisfield

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town qualified to vote in elections and town affairs to meet at the Town Hall on Monday, the Fourteenth day of March 1921 at ten o'clock A M for the following purposes: viz:-

Art 1 To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting

Art 2 To vote by ballot for Town Officers and terms thereof as follows:-  
One Town Clerk for the term of one year, One Town Treasurer for the term of one year, three Selectmen for the term of one year, one Assessor for the term of three years, one Assessor for the term of two years, one assessor for the term of one year, one School Committee for the term of three years, one School Committee for the term of two years, one school committee for the term of one year, two Constables for the term of one year, one Auditor for the term of one year, and to vote Yes or No on the Question "Shall license be granted for the sale certain non-intoxicating beverages in the town." All of the above named officers, and the vote "Yes or NO," shall be brought in on one ballot and the ballots will be furnished at the polling place

Art 3 To choose all necessary town officers not named in Article 2

Art 4 To hear the report of Town Officers and act thereon

Art 5 To see what method the Town will adopt in regard to the collection of taxes, prescribe the compensation therefor, and pass any vote that may be proper

Art 6 To see if the Town will vote to give the Collector of Taxes the same power that Town Treasurers have when they are Collectors of taxes

Art 7 To choose any committee or agents for the Town, and give them any instructions or authority

Art 8 To act upon the jury list as presented by the Selectmen

Art 9 To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$25.00 or any other amount and choose a Director for demonstration work in agriculture and Home Economics, the money to be expended by and the Director to serve in co-operation with the county Trustee for aid to Agriculture of the Berkshire County Farm Bureau under the provisions of Section 5, Chapter 273 of the General Acts of 1918

211 Art 10 To see what system the Town will adopt in relation to the conveyance of children to and from school, who live more than two miles therefrom, and the amount of compensation to be paid for said conveyance

Art 11 To see what action the Town will take in relation to paying traveling charges and Hotel Bills of the Superintendent of Schools, when visiting Schools of this Town: Also in relation to telephone charges of said Superintendent

Art 12 To see what disposition the Town will make of the house in Montville which was the residence of the late W J Fradenburg and has been deeded to the inhabitants of this town

Art 13 To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary to pay the expenses of the various Town Departments viz:- General Government Unclassified, Police Department, Health Department. Inspection of Animals Inspection of Slaughter, Repairs of Highways, Repair of Bridges, Opening





- 214 roads in Winter, for the support of Schools, for the charity department, Public Library, Cemeteries, Interest, contingent fund and for any other purpose that may be necessary
- Art 14 To see if the Town will vote to bury Surety Bonds for its bonded officials and raise and appropriate money for the same
- 215 Art 15 To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of revenue for the current financial year

The polls will be opened at Ten O'clock A M and may be closed at Three O'clock P M and you are directed to serve this warrant by posting true and attested copies thereof in three public places in said town, seven days at least before time of holding said meeting

Hereof fail not and of the warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at or before the time of holding said meeting

Given under our hands at Sandisfield this Third day of March A D 1921

Thomas Fox )  
Charles D Strickland )  
Daniel W Gage )

Berkshire S S

Sandisfield Mass March 7, 1921

- By virtue of the within warrant, I have served the same by posting true attest copies thereof in three public places. One on the Town Hall, One in the Post Office New Boston and one at the South Sandisfield Post Office seven days before the time of said meeting
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Joseph Tacy, constable  
Town of Sandisfield

Attest

Arthur L Strickland  
Town Clerk

- 217 Town Meeting  
Monday March 14th 1921

Meeting called to order and warrant read by Arthue L Strickland Town Clerk  
Denis O'Brien and Orlo C Twining Ballot Clerks  
Edman H Strickland was elected Moderator

Voted to take up article 6  
Voted to give the Collector of Taxes the same power as the Town Treasurers have when they are Collector of Taxes

Voted To accept Juror List as perscribed by the Selectmen  
Frank Hawley asked to be excused from serving on Jury  
Voted to excuse Frank Hawley  
Fred Whitney was appointed in Frank Hawleys place  
Fred Whitney asked to be excused  
Voted to excuse Fred Whitney from serving as Juror  
Voted Samuel R Wilber to serve as Juror

Voted to take up article 4  
Voted to accept Town Reports  
Art 7 Voted to appoint Town Agent  
Voted Edman H Strickland Town Agent



217 Voted to have a Finance Committee and Three were chosen  
No 1 Thomas Fox  
" 2 Daniel W Gage  
" 3 Arthur L Strickland

218 Voted to take up Article 3  
Committee on Cemeteries  
No 1 Lewis F Shepard  
" 2 Walter White  
" 3 Goddard Dubois  
" 4 William Hart  
" 5 James Roberts  
" 6 Harry Rogers

Field Drivers  
Charles D Strickland  
William Hart  
Daniel W Gage

Pound Keeper  
Charles D Strickland

Fence Viewers  
Edman H Strickland  
Lewis F Shepard  
Alfred Mull

Care Town Hall  
Denis O'Brien

Surveyors of Lumber  
Edman H Strickland  
Edwin A Soule  
Daniel W Gage

Measurers of Wood & Bark  
Charles D Strickland  
Thomas Fox  
Rufus W Fargo

Tree Warden  
Charles Strickland

Library Trustee for 3 years  
L Etta Burgess

219 Library Trustee for 2 years  
Lewis F Shepard

Library Trustee for 1 year  
Mary E Francis

Voted To take up article 12  
Voted To sell the Fradenburg place in Montville for nothing less than \$500.00  
Motion made to pass over Article 9





## List of Jurors as voted

Samuel R Wilber  
 Harry H Rogers  
 Edman H Strickland  
 Daniel W Gage  
 Jason Sears  
 Charles Trask  
 James J Fox  
 Alfred Snow

Voted and appointed Thomas E Francis to communicate with the Farm Bureau of Pittsfield in regard to money being paid by the Town and not receiving any benefit from the Farm Bureau

220 Voted To pass over article 10 at present  
 Voted to leave article 10 in the hands of the School Committee  
 Voted to leave Article 11 in the hands of the School Committee

Voted to raise Money for Bonded Town officers

Voted for to raise and appropriate the following sums of money

Support of Schools	\$4500.00
General Government	1300 00
Forest Fires	50 00
Inspection of Slaughter	200 00
Opening Roads in Winter	200 00
Repairing Roads	3000 00
Repairing Bridges	1000 00
Support of Poor	150 00
Police Department (None)	
Soldiers Relief (None)	
Public Library	40 00
Surety Bonds	100 00
Demonstration Work (None)	
	<u>\$10540 00</u>

Voted to close Polls at 3 O'clock  
 Polls closed at 3 O'clock  
 Ballots assorted and counted and the following is a true copy of vote, being Eighty one votes cast

Town Clerk			
Arthur L Strickland	Sixty Seven	votes	67
Blanks			<u>14</u>
			81

Town Treasurer			
Thomas Fox	had Sixty Five	votes	65
Blanks	Sixteen		<u>16</u>
			81

Selectmen			
Thomas Fox	had	Forty-two	votes 42
Daniel W Gage	"	Thirty One	" 31
Charles D Strickland	"	Forty Three	" 43
Edman H Strickland	"	Forty Six	" 46
Charles C Trask	"	Forty Three	" 43
Arthur V Wilber	"	Thirty Three	" 43
Blanks		Five	<u>5</u>
			213



Assessor for Three years			
Edman H Strickland	had	Sixty Four	votes 64
Blanks		Seventeen	<u>17</u>
			81
Assessor for Two Years			
Charles C Trask	had	Sixty	votes 60
Blanks		Twenty One	<u>21</u>
			81
Assessor for One Year			
Lewis F Shepard	had	Sixty Seven	votes 67
Blanks		Fourteen	<u>14</u>
			81
School Committee for Three Years			
Thomas E Francis	had	Sixty Two	votes 62
Blanks		Nineteen	<u>19</u>
			81
School Committee for Two years			
Lucy Humphrey	had	Fifty Two	votes 52
Francelia Soule	"	Thirteen	13
Blanks		Sixteen	<u>16</u>
			81
School Committee for One Yeas			
Charlotte Brown	had	Fifty Seven	votes 57
Blanks		Twenty Four	<u>24</u>
			81
Constables for One Year			
Thomas Francis	had	Thirty One	votes 31
Jason Sears	"	Twenty Six	26
Joseph Tacy	"	Thirty Six	36
Samuel R Wilber	"	Thirty Six	36
Blanks		Thirty three	<u>33</u>
			162

Auditor for one year			
James J Benson	had	Forty nine	votes 49
Edison P Twining	"	Twenty Nine	29
Blanks		Three	<u>3</u>
			81
Shall License be granted for the sale of			
Non-Intoxicating Liquors in this town			
Yes	had	Thirty Four	votes 34
No	"	Thirty	30
Blanks		Seventeen	<u>17</u>
			81

Voted To adjourn without date

Attest - Arthur L Strickland Town Clerk

Sandisfield Mass March 25 1921

The undersigned Selectmen of Sandisfield hereby appoint James Fox inspector of Animals for the ensuing year. The same having been approved by the Commissioner of Animal Inspection.

E H Strickland) Selectmen  
Chas C Trask ) of  
                  ) Sandisfield





222 Article 15  
Voted that the Town Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen be and hereby  
is authorized to borrow money from time to time not to exceed \$3000.00  
in anticipation of the Revenue of the financial year beginning Jan 1st 1921 and  
to issue a not or notes therefor, Payable within one year any debt or Dents in-  
curred under this vote to be paid from the revenue of said financial year

223 Sandisfield, Mass.  
April 21 1921  
Mr Jason Sears  
New Boston, Mass.  
The Board of Selectmen of the Town of Sandisfield hereby appoint you Sealer of  
Weights of Sandisfield fro the Town of Sandisfield.  
Edman H Strickland) Selectmen  
Chas C Trask ) of Sandisfield  
Attest, Arthur L Strickland

Sandisfield, Mass.  
May 12th 1921

#### Auction License

This is to certify that Roy E Manley, of the town of Hartford, Conn, has been  
duly licensed by the board of Selectmen , to sell at Public Auction any goods or  
chattels, Real or Personal Estate. according to Law, from this date, until the  
first day of May 1922, in said town of Sandisfield, except on occasions, of such  
sales as are prohibited by law, to be held in other places within the state  
Edman H Strickland) Selectmen  
Chas C Trask ) of Sandisfield  
Attest. Arthur L Strickland Town Clerk

224 We appoint Walter V R Mull to Audit the Town Report for the Town of Sandisfield  
year 1921 to fill the vacancy couosed by the resignation of James J Benson.  
Sandisfielt Feb 1st 1922  
Edman H Strickland) Selectmen of  
Chas C Trask ) Sandisfield  
Attest Arthur L Strickland Town Clerk

225 Warrant for Annual Town Meeting March 13, 1922

#### Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Berkshire SS

To Samuel R Wilber, constable of the Town of Sandisfield

Greeting:

In the name of the commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby required to  
notify and warn the Inhabitants of said Town qualified to vote in town affairs, to  
meet at the Town Hall on Monday, March 13th A D 1922, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon  
for the following purposes, Namely:

Art 1 To choose a moderator to preside at said meeting

Art 2 To elect the following town officers. Viz: Town Clerk for one year  
Treasurer, for one year, three Selectmen for one year, One assessor for  
three years, One member of the School committee for three years, One member



- 225 of the school committee for two years. One Tree Warden for one year. One Auditor for one year. Two Constables for one year and three Library Trustees, One for three years, One for two years and one for one year. All of the above named officers will be voted for on official ballots prepared by the Town Clerk
- Art 3 To hear and act upon the the reports of the town officers and any committee of the town
- Art 4 To see if the town will vote to give the same power to the collector of taxes that the Treasurer has when he is made collector
- 226 Art 5 To see if the Town will vote to discontinue the road leading westerly from the North Beech Plain road to the Sandisfield and Otis town line, known as the Isaac Norton road.
- Art 6 To see if the town will vote to discontinue the road from the corner where the road turns to go to the Ed Stratton place on West Street Southerly to the road leading from Sandisfield to New Marlboro
- Art 7 To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of the revenue of the current financial year
- Art 8 To see if the town will raise and appropriate any money to pay for bonds for the Treasurer and Tax Collector
- Art 9 To raise and appropriate money for the following purposes and pas any votes in relation thereto
- A, For the observance of Memorial Day
  - B For the care of cemeteries
  - C For repair of the Town Hall
  - D For maintenance and repair of highways
  - E For maintenance and repair of bridges
  - F Support of the Public Library
  - G For paying Salaries of town officers
  - H For support of Poor
  - I For suppost of schools and repair of school houses
  - J For protection of persons and property
  - K For the expense of the Board of Health
- 227 L For the erection of Guide Boards
- M For inspection of animals
  - N For inspection of Slaughters
  - O For Forest Fires
- Art 10 To see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell and convey by deed the Hewett property owned by this town
- Art 11 Shall license be granted for the sale of beverages containing not less than one half of one per cent nor more than two and three quarters per cent of alcohol in this town?
- Art 12 To appoint any committees or agents and give them or any officers of the town instructions or authority

The polls will be open at 10 o'clock A M and may be closed at 3 o'clock P M

You are required to serve this warrant by posting true and attested copies: one on the Town Hall door and one in the post office in New Boston at least seven days before the time of said meeting. Hereof fail not and of this warrant and your doings thereon make due return to the town clerk of said town at or before the time of said meeting.

Given under our hands and the seal of the town of Sandisfield, this second day of March A D 1922

Edman HStrickland ) Selectmen of  
Chas C Trask ) Sandisfield

Attest a true copy





228 Berkshire SS

I have served the within warrant by posting true and attested copies, one on the Town Hall Door and one in the Post Office in New Boston

Samuel R Wilber

Attest Arthur L Strickland  
Town Clerk

Constable of Sandisfield

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Monday

Town Meeting March 13th 1922

Meeting called to order and warrant read by Arthur L Strickland, Town Clerk  
) Denis O'Brien  
Ballott Clerks) Orlo C Twining  
Thomas Fox was elected Moderator

- Art 3 Motion made and voted to leave article 3 open for a little while
- Art 4 Voted to grant the collector of taxes the same power that town Treasurers have when they are collector of taxes
- Art 5 Vote not to discontinue the road leading westerly from the North Beech Plain Road to the Sandisfield and Otis town line, known as the Isaac Norton Road
- Art 6 Unanimously voted not to discontinue the road from the corner where the road turns to go to the Ed Stratton place on West Street, southerly to the road leading from Sandisfield to New Marlboro
- Art 7 Voted that the Town Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen be and hereby is authorized to borrow money from time to time not to exceed \$3000.00 in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning Jan 1st 1922 and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, any debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the revenue of said financial year

230 Art 8 Voted to raise and appropriate the following sums of money

For	Bonding town officers	\$ 100.00
A	for Memorial Day	25 00
B	for care of Cemeteries (None)	
C	Repair of town Hall	50 00
D	Repairing Roads	2500 00
E	Repairing Bridges	1000 00
F	Public Library	40 00
G	Town Officers	1000 00
H	Support of Poor )None)	
I	Support of Schools	4500 00
J	Police Department	25 00
K	Board of Health	50 00
L	Street Signs or Guide Boards	35 00
M	Inspection of Animals	40 00
N	Inspection of Slaughter	275 00
O	Forest Fires (None)	\$9640 00



- 230 Voted To pay Hiram Crittenden for Digging Grave of Mrs Wm M Fradenburg
- Art 3 Voted to except Town Reports
- Art 10 Voted to sell the Hewett Place (So Called) and to authorize the Selectmen not to sell the same for less than \$250.00 Cash
- Art 12 Voted to except Juror List as perscribed by the Selectmen  
Frank E Hawley was excused from Juror list and John B Kimberley was voted in

List of Jurors

Arthur L Strickland	Franklin Waugh
Daniel W Gage	John B Kimberley
Samuel Steinberg	Harry Lipschits
William A Williams	Edman H Strickland

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Committee on Cemeteries

No 1	Wallace Whitney
No 2	Walter White
No 3	Goddard DuBois
No 4	William Hart
No 5	James Roberts
No 6	Harry Rogers

Field Drivers

Charles D Strickland  
Wm Hart  
Daniel W Gage

Pound Keeper

Charles D Strickland

Fence Viewers

E H Strickland  
Alfred Mull  
Charles G Twining

Caretaker of Town Hall

Denis O'Brien

Surveyors of Lumber

Charles D Strickland  
Thomas Fox  
Rufus W Fargo

Tree Warden

Charles D Strickland

Town Agent

Thomas Fox

Voted to close the Polls @ 3 OC P M

Voted Joseph Tacy as Tax Collector being the lowest Bidder  
(Bid 4%)





232 Polls closed at 3 0 Clock  
 Ballots assorted and counted and the following is a true copy of Vote.  
 Being Ninety Nine votes cast

For Town Clerk			
	Arthur L Strickland	Sixty Six Votes	66
	Blank	Thirty Three	<u>33</u>
			99

For Town Treasurer			
	Thomas Fox	Sixty Two Votes	62
	Charles Trask	Thirty "	30
	Blanks	Sixteen	<u>16</u>
			99

For Selectmen			
	Henry Dodd	Thirty Six	36
	Thomas Fox	Sixty	60
	Daniel Gage	Forty Two	42
	Edman H Strickland	Forty Three	43
	Charles D Strickland	Fifty Seven	57
	Charles C Trask	Forty Three	43
	Blanks	Sixteen	<u>16</u>
			297

For Assessor for three years			
	Albert Carter	Forty Five	45
	Harry H Rogers	Forty Five	45
	Blanks	Nine	<u>9</u>
			99

For School Committee for two years			
	Lena M Gage	Forty Four	44
	Charles C Trask	Forty Five	45
	Blanks	Ten	<u>10</u>
			99

For School Committee for three years			
	L Etta Burgess	Forty Three	43
	Alfred J Rowley	Forty Six	46
	Blank	Ten	<u>10</u>
			99

233 For Constable

	Harry Lipschitz	Thirty Four	34
	Augusta Riiska	Thirty Nine	39
	Alexander A Stawicka	Twenty Four	24
	Joseph H Tacy	Sixty One	61
	Blanks	Forty	<u>40</u>
			198

For Auditor			
	James J Benson	Forty Two	42
	Edson P Twining	Forty Six	46
	Blanks	Eleven	<u>11</u>
			99

For Librarian for Three yrsrs			
	Francelia Soule	Sixty Two	62
	Blanks	Thirty Seven	<u>37</u>
			99

For Librarian for two years			
	Catherine P Fox	Seventy Two	72
	Blanks	Twenty Seven	<u>27</u>
			99



233	For Librarian for One year		
	Lucy T Humphrey	Sixty Five	65
	Blank	Thirty Four	<u>34</u>
			99

For License Question		
Yes	Forty Five	45
No	Thirty Seven	37
Blanks	Seventeen	<u>17</u>
		99

Voted to adjourn meeting without date

Attest Arthur L Strickland, Town Clerk

234 Appointments by the Selectmen  
 Jason Sears Sealer of Weights & Measures  
 Jason Sears Game Warden  
 C D Strickland Fire Warden

Resignation - Millbrook Farm  
 March 18th 1922 West Otis Mass  
 A L Strickland Town Clerk of Sandisfield  
 Dear Sir

I wish to resign as a member of the School Board of Sandisfield to  
 take effect immediately upon receipt of this letter

Your Truly  
 Alfred C Rowley

Attest A L Strickland  
 Town Clerk

235 Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
 Berkshire SS

To Joseph Tacy Constable of the Town of Sandisfield - Greeting:  
 In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby required to notify  
 and warn the inhabitants of said Town qualified to vote in elections and Town af-  
 fairs to meet at the Town Hall on Monday April Tenth, 1922 at Ten O'Clock A M for  
 the following purpose Viz:

Art I To choose a moderator to preside at said meeting  
 Art II To vote by ballot for Town Officers and terms thereof as follows:  
 One Selectman for the term of one year

One Assessor for the term of three years

All the above named officers shall be brought in on one ballot and the  
 ballots will be furnished at the polling place

The Polls will be opened at Ten O'Clock A M and may close at Three  
 O'Clock P M, and you are directed to serve this warrant by posting true  
 and attested copies thereof in three public places in said Town seven  
 days at least before the time of holding said meeting. Hereof fail not  
 and of this warrant, with your doings thereon make due return to the  
 Town Clerk at or before the time of holding said meeting

Given under our hands at Sandisfield this 31st day of March A D  
 1922

Thomas Fox ) Selectmen of  
 Charles D Strickland) Sandisfield

Berkshire SS Sandisfield Mass April 1st 1922





235 By virtue of this warrant I have served the same by posting true and attest copies thereof in three public places. One on the Town Hall, one in the Post Office in New Boston, and one in Montville seven days before the time of said meeting

Joseph Tacy Constable  
Town of Sandisfield

Attest Arthur L Strickland  
Town Clerk

236 Town Meeting Monday April 10th 1922

Meeting called to order and warrant read by Arthur L Strickland, Town Clerk  
Ballott Clerks) Denis O'Brien Orlo C Twining

Thomas Fox was Elected Moderator

Ballots assorted and counted and the following is a true copy of vote  
Being Fifty One votes cast

For Selectman

Daniel Gage	Forty Three	43
Edman H Strickland	Four	4
Charles C Trask	One	1
Blanks	Three	3
		<u>51</u>

For Assessor for Three Years

Albert Carter	Five	5
Harry Rogers	Forty Two	42
Blanks	Four	4
		<u>51</u>

Motion made and seconded and voted to close the Polls at 3 O'Clock

Voted to adjourn without date

Arthur L Strickland  
Town Clerk

237 Warrant for Primaries Sept 12th 1922

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Berkshire SS

To Joseph Tacy Constable of the Town of Sandisfield

In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town who are qualified to vote in Primaries to meet in the Town Hall, Tuesday the Twelfth day of September 1922 at Two O'clock P M for the following purposes

To bring in their votes to the Primary Officers for the nominations of Candidates of Political Parties for the following Officers

Governor	For this Commonwealth
Lieutenant Governor	" " "
Secretary of the Commonwealth	" " "
Treasurer & Receiver General	" " "
Auditor for the Commonwealth	" " "
Attorney General	" " "
Senator in Congress	" " "



Senator for Berkshire, Hampden, Hampshire District  
 Representative in General Court for 6th Representative District  
 County Commissioner for Berkshire County  
 Two Associate Commissioners for Berkshire County  
 District Attorney Berkshire & Hampden District  
 Clerk of Courts Berkshire County  
 Register of Deeds for Berkshire County Southern District

And for the Election of the following Officers:

District member of State Committee for each Political Party for the Berkshire  
 Hampshire, Hampden Senatorial District

Three members of Republican Town Committee

Three members of Democratic Town Committee

Delegates to State Convention of Republican Party

Delegates to State Convention of Democratic Party

All the above Candidates and Officers are to be voted for upon one ballot

238 The Polls will be open from Two P M to Four P M and you are directed to serve this  
 warrant by posting attested copies thereof in three public places seven days at  
 least before the time of said meeting as directed by vote of the Town

Hereof fail not and make return of this warrant with your doings thereon at  
 the time and place of said meeting

Given under our hands this Second day of September A D 1922

Thomas Fox ) Selectmen

C D Strickland) of

Daniel W Gage ) Sandisfield

Berkshire SS: Sandisfield Mass Sept 12th 1922

By virtue of this the within warrant I have served the same by posting true and  
 attest coppies thereof in three public places, One on the Town Hall, one in the Post  
 Office New Boston and one in South Sandisfield Post Office seven days before the  
 time of said meeting

Joseph Tacy Constable

Town of Sandisfield

Attest

Arthur L Strickland, Town Clerk

# State Primaries Sandisfield Sept 12th 1922

Meeting called to order and warrant read by Arthur L Strickland, Town Clerk  
 Ballot Clerks) Orlo C Twining Denis O'Brien

Polls were opened at 2 O'Clock P M and 7 Ballots were cast as follows:-

## Governor

J Weston Allen	One	1
Channing H Cox	None	0
Joseph B Ely	Three	3
John F Fitzgerald	One	1
Eugene N Fisk	One	1
Peter F Sullivan	None	0
Blanks	One	<u>1</u>
		7

## Lieutenant Governor

Alvan T Fuller	None	0
Joseph E Warner	One	1
John J Cummings	Four	4
John F Doherty	None	0
Michael A O'Leary	One	1
Blanks	One	<u>1</u>
		7



239	Secretary		
	Frederic W Cook	One	1
	Charles H McGlue	Four	4
	Blanks	Two	2
			<u>7</u>
	Treasurer		
	Fred J Burrell	One	1
	James Jackson	None	0
	Joseph E Venne	Four	4
	Blanks	Two	2
			<u>7</u>
240	Auditor		
	J Arthur Baker	None	0
	Alonzo B Cook	One	1
	Alice E Cram	Four	4
	Blanks	Two	2
			<u>7</u>
	Attorney General		
	Jay R Benton	One	1
	John D W Budfish	None	0
	James F Cavanagh	None	0
	S Howard Donnell	None	0
	George P Drury	None	0
	Harold D Wilkins	None	0
	John E Swift	Five	5
	Blanks	One	1
			<u>7</u>
	Senator in Congress		
	Henry Cabot Lodge	One	1
	Joseph Walker	None	0
	William A Gaston	Four	4
	Dallas Lore Sharp	None	0
	John Jackson Walsh	One	1
	Sherman L Whipple	One	1
	Blanks	None	0
			<u>7</u>
	Congressman		
	Allen T Treadway	One	1
	Thomas F Cassidy	Four	4
	Michael W Flynn	Two	2
	Blanks	None	0
			<u>7</u>
	Councillor		
	Francis W Aldrich	One	1
	Arthur E French	None	0
	Walter Henry Pierce	None	0
	Blanks	Six	6
			<u>7</u>
241	Senator		
	Orlando C Bidwell	None	0
	Dexter A Snow	One	1
	Blanks	Six	6
	Representative in General Court		
	Eugene E Bryant	One	1
	William L Dubois	None	0
	Herbert C Joyner	Six	6
	Blanks	None	0





241	County Commissioner		
	Augustus K Boom	None	0
	John F Conlon	One	1
	John Henderson	None	0
	Blanks	Six	6
			<u>7</u>

Associate Commissioners			
James H Punderson	One		1
Blanks	Thirteen		13
			<u>14</u>

District Attorney			
John H Madden	None		0
Richard J Talbot	None		0
Charles H Wright	One		1
J Lyman Gray	Three		3
James H Mulcare	Two		2
Blanks	One		1
			<u>7</u>

Clerk of Courts			
Irving H Gamwell	One		1
Blanks	Six		6
			<u>7</u>

Register of Deeds			
Malcolm Douglas	Six		6
Blanks	One		1
			<u>7</u>

242	State Committee		
	Blanks	Seven	7

Delegates to State Convention			
Blanks	Seven		7

Dem. Town Committee			
Arthur L Strickland	One		1
Charles D Strickland	Three		3
Thomas Fox	Two		2
Joseph Tacy	One		1
Denis O'Brien	Two		2
Blanks	Nine		9
			<u>18</u>

Rep. Town Committee			
None Voted for			
Blanks	Three		3

Polls were closed at 4 P M  
Voted to adjourn without date

Attest  
Arthur L Strickland  
Town Clerk



Berkshire SS

To Joseph Tacy Constable of the Town of Sandisfield

Greeting:-

In the name of the Commonwealth you are required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town who are qualified to vote in Town matters to meet in the Town Hall on Tuesday the seventeenth day of October 1922 at Two O clock P M for the following purposes

- Art 1 To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting
- Art 2 To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to sign an agreement with the Commonwealth releasing it from all damages which may be claimed by land owners on the line of the Road from New Boston Village to the Otis line, upon which Road the Commonwealth proposes to construct a State Highway
- Art 3 To see if the Town will appropriate a sum of money to meet the damages claimed by Lewis E and Frank W Newth for injuries sustained in falling through the bridge over the Farmington River near the Red Shop on Aug 1st 1922

You are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof in three public places in said Town seven days at least before the time of said meeting as directed by vote of the Town

Hereof fail not and make return of this warrant with your doings thereon at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this Seventh day of October A D 1922

Thomas Fox ) Selectmen  
Chas D Strickland ) of  
Daniel W Gage ) Sandisfield

244 Berkshire SS

Sandisfield Mass Oct 17th 1922

By virtue of this the within warrant I have served the same by posting true and attest copies thereof in three public places one on the Town Hall, one in the Post Office New Boston, and one in the Post Office in South Sandisfield, Seven days before the time of said meeting

Joseph Tacy, Constable  
Town of Sandisfield

Attest. Arthur L Strickland, Town Clerk

Special Town Meeting  
Sandisfield Mass October 17th 1922

- Art 1 Thomas Fox unanimously chosen moderator
- Art 2 Motion made, second and voted to authorize the Selectmen to sign an agreement with the commonwealth releasing it from alldamages claimed by land owners in the construction of a State Highway leading from New Boston Village to the Otis line
- Art 3 Motion made & sec. and voted to transfer the surplus money of the Town towards the settlement of the Newth's case

Voted to adjourn without date

Attest Arthur L Strickland  
Town Clerk





## Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Berkshire SS

To Joseph Tacy Constable of the Town of Sandisfield. Greeting:-  
In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town who are qualified to vote in Elections to meet in the Town Hall on Tuesday the seventh day of November 1922 at Ten O'Clock A M for the following purposes:

To bring in their votes to the Election Officers for the Election of candidates for the following offices:

Governor for this Commonwealth  
Lieutenant Governor for this Commonwealth  
Secretary of the Commonwealth for this Commonwealth  
Treasurer and Receiver General for this Commonwealth  
Auditor of this Commonwealth for this Commonwealth  
Attorney General for this Commonwealth  
Senator in Congress for this Commonwealth  
Representative in Congress for First Congressional District  
Councillor for Eighth Councillor District  
Senator for Berkshire Hampshire Hampden District  
Representative in General Court for Sixth Representative District  
County Commissioner for Berkshire County  
Two Associate Commissioners for Berkshire County  
District Attorney for Berkshire, Hampden (Western) District  
Clerk of the Courts for Berkshire County  
Register of Deeds for Berkshire County Southern District  
And to vote Yes or No on the following Articles of Amendments

Art 18 of the Amendments to the Constitution is hereby amended by striking out in that part entitled "II Emergency Measures" under the heading: "The Referendum" the words, A Separate vote shall be taken on the preamble by call of the yeas and nays which shall be recorded, and unless the preamble is adopted by two thirds of the members of each house voting thereon, the law shall not be an emergency law; But and substitutions the following:-

A separate vote which shall be recorded shall be taken on the preamble, and unless the preamble is adopted by two-thirds of the members of each house voting therein, the law shall not be an emergency law. Upon the request of two members of the Senate, or of five members of the house of Representatives the vote on the preamble in such branch shall be taken by call of "yeas" and "nays" but also to bring in their votes for or against the ratification of the following:- Laws submitted upon Referendum after passage:

Acceptance of Chapter 368 Acts of 1921 entitled "an Act providing for suits by and against Certain Voluntary Associations.

Acceptance of Chapter 438 Acts of 1921 entitled an Act relative to the examination of licensing of Motion Pictures films to be publicly exhibited and displayed in the Commonwealth.

Acceptance of Chapter 427 Acts of 1922 entitled An Act to carry into effect as far as the Commonwealth of Massachusetts is concerned the Eighteenth Amendment to the Constitution of the United States.

Acceptance of Chapter 459 Acts of 1922 entitled an Act providing that District Attorneys shall be members of the bar. All of the above Candidates and Amendments are to be voted for upon one ballot and the ballots will be supplied by the Election Officers at the place of said meeting. The polls will be open at Ten a m and may close at Three P M, and you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof in three public places in said Town, seven



- 247 days at least before the time of said meeting as directed by vote of the Town. Hereof fail not and make return of this warrant with your doings thereon at the time and place of said meeting.  
Given under our hands this Twenty-Eighth day of October AD 1922

Thomas Fox ) Selectmen  
Charles D Strickland) of  
Daniel W Gage ) Sandisfield

Berkshire SS

Sandisfield Mass Nov 7th 1922

By virtue of this the within warrant I have served the same by posting true and attest copies thereof in three public places one on the Town Hall, one in the Post Office New Boston and one in South Sandisfield Post Office seven days before the time of said meeting

Joseph Tacy Constable of the Town  
of Sandisfield

Attest Arthue L Strickland  
Town Clerk

- 248 Sandisfield Mass July 15th 1922

This is certify that at a meeting held by the Selectmen and remaining board of the School Committee, Daniel W Gage and Aminie Crocker were appointed to fill vacancies of Charles C Trask and Alfred J Rowley, Resigned as School Committee

Arthur L Strickland  
Town Clerk

- 249 Sandisfield Mass Nov 7th 1922

Meeting called to order and warrant read by Arthur L Strickland Town Clerk

Dennis O'Brien) Ballot Clerks  
Orlo C Twining)

Polls were opened at 10 O'Clock A M and Fifty Eight (58) Ballots were cast as follows

Governor

Channing H Cox	Thirty Five	35
John F Fitzgerald	Fifteen	15
Henry Hess	Two	2
Walter S Hutchins	Two	2
John B Lewis	Two	2
Blanks	Two	2
		<u>58</u>

Lieutenant Governor

John F Doherty	Fifteen	15
Alvan Fuller	Thirty Six	36
Oscar Kinsalis	One	1
Thomas Nicholson	Three	3
Blanks	Three	3
		<u>58</u>

Secretary

Frederick W Cook	Thirty Six	36
Albert Sprague Coolidge	Two	2





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James Hayes	One	1
Charles H McGlue	Fifteen	15
Blanks	Four	<u>4</u>
		58

## Treasurer

James Jackson	Thirty Five	35
Patrick H Loftus	One	1
Dennis F Reagan	Two	2
Joseph E Venne	Sixteen	16
Blanks	Four	<u>4</u>
		58

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## Auditor

John Aiken	Two	2
Alonzo B Cook	Thirty Three	33
Alice E Cram	Seventeen	17
Edith M Williams	Four	4
Blanks	Two	<u>2</u>
		58

## Attorney General

Joseph Bearak	Three	3
Jay R Benton	Thirty Three	33
David Craig	One	1
John E Swift	Seventeen	17
Blanks	Four	<u>4</u>
		58

## Senator in Congress

Washington Cook	One	1
William A Gaston	Twenty One	21
Henry Cabot Lodge	Twenty Eight	28
John A Nichols	Two	2
John Weaver Sherman	Four	4
William E Weeks	None	0
Blanks	Two	<u>2</u>
		58

## Congressman First District

Thomas F Cassidy	Eighteen	18
Allen T Treadway	Thirty Eight	38
Blanks	Two	<u>2</u>
		58

## Councillor Eighth District

Francis W Aldrich	Forty Five	45
Blanks	Thirteen	<u>13</u>
		58

## Senator, Hampshire &amp; Hampden District

Dewitt C DeWolf	Sixteen	16
Dexter A Snow	Thirty Six	36
Blanks	Six	<u>6</u>
		58

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## Representative in General Court Sixth Berkshire Dist

William L DuBois	Thirty One	31
Herbert C Joyner	Twenty Seven	27
Blanks	None	0
		<u>0</u>
		58

## County Commissioner Berkshire Co

John Henderson	Thirty Six	36
William H Sherrell	Eighteen	18
Blanks	Four	<u>4</u>
		58



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## Associate Commissioners Berkshire Co

James H Punderson	Forty	40
Herbert C Joyner	One	1
Blanks	Seventy Five	<u>75</u>
		116

## District Attorney Western District

James H Mulcare	Fourteen	14
Charles H Wright	Forty One	41
Blanks	Three	<u>3</u>
		58

## Clerk of Courts Berkchire Co

Irving H Gamwell	Forty Five	45
Blank	Thirteen	<u>13</u>
		58

## Register of Deeds Berkshire Southern District

Malcolm Douglas	Forty Seven	47
Blanks	Eleven	<u>11</u>
		58

## Referendum No 1

Yes	Fourteen	14
No	Nine	9
Blanks	Thirty Five	<u>35</u>
		58

## Referendum No 2

Yes	Fifteen	15
No	Ten	10
Blanks	Thirty Three	<u>33</u>
		58

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## Referendum No 3

Yes	Sixteen	16
No	Fifteen	15
Blanks	Twenty Seven	<u>27</u>
		58

## Referendum No 4

Yes	Fourteen	14
No	Nineteen	19
Blanks	Twenty Five	<u>25</u>
		58

## Referendum No 5

Yes	Sixteen	16
No	Ten	10
Blanks	Thirty Two	<u>32</u>
		58

Voted to close the Polls at 3 O'Clock  
Polls closed at 3 O'Clock

Voted to adjourn without date

Attest

Arther L Strickland  
Town Clerk

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Canvass of Votes  
For Representative District No 6

Berkshire S S

The undersigned clerks of the several towns comprising the Representative District No. Six (6), in said County, met at the Town Clerk's office in Great Barrington, at twelve O'clock noon, on Friday, the 17th day of November, 1922, and hereby certify that they did then and there examine all the attested copies of the records of the votes of the aforementioned Towns at their several meetings on Tuesday, November 7, 1922 the result being as follows:

The whole number of votes cast was 2905

Name										
William L DuBois of West Stockbridge										
Herbert Joyner of Great Barrington										
	Gt Barrington	Stockbridge	Sheffield	W Stockbridge	Egremont	Alford	Mt Washington	Sandisfield	New Marlboro	Total
William L Dubois	793	335	146	207	74	47	10	31	82	1725
Herbert C Joyner	672	167	95	86	30	15	8	27	80	1180

And the said William L DuBois was declared elected

(Attest)	Edward Kelley	Town Clerk of Great Barrington
	Adam Schilling	Town Clerk of Stockbridge
	Henry C Clark	Town Clerk of Sheffield
	Fred C Tobey	Town Clerk of West Stockbridge
	George Boice	Town Clerk of Egremont
	Frank Kline Acting Clerk	Town Clerk of Alford
	Alfred Spurr	Town Clerk of Mt Washington
	Arthur L Strickland	Town Clerk of Sandisfield
	Henry Fay	Town Clerk of New Marlboro

Attest Arthur L Strickland

254 Feb 1st 1923

Organization of Democratic Town Committee

Thomas Fox	Chairman
Chas D Strickland	Secretary
Dennis O'Brien	Treas.

Attest A L Strickland  
Town Clerk





## Berkshire SS

To Joseph H Tacy. Constable of the Town of Sandisfield: Greeting:-  
 In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town qualified to vote in Elections and Town affairs to meet at the Town Hall on Monday the Twelfth day of March 1923 at Ten O'Clock A M for the following purposes: Viz:-

Art 1 To choose Moderator to preside at said meeting

Art 2 To vote by ballot for Town officers and term thereof as follows:

One Town Clerk for the term of one year

One Town Treasurer for the term of one year

Three Selectmen for the term of one year

One School Committee for the term of three years

One School Committee for the term of two years

One School Committee for the term of one year

Two Constables for the term of one year

One Library Trustee for the term of three years

One Auditor for the term of one year

To vote Yes or No upon the Question

"Shall license be granted for the sale of certain non-intoxicating liquors in the Town"

All the above named officers and the vote "Yes or No" shall be brought in on one ballot. The ballots will be furnished at the Polling Place

Art 3 To choose the necessary Town Officers not named in Article 2

Art 4 To hear the report of Town Officers and act thereon

Art 5 To see what method the Town will adopt in regard to the collection of Taxes, prescribe the compensation therefor, and pass any vote that may be proper

Art 6 To see if the town will vote to give the Collector of Taxes the same powers that Town Treasurers have when they are Collectors

256 Art 7 To choose any Committee or Agents for the town and give them any instructions or authority

Art 8 To act upon the Jury list as presented by the Selectmen

Art 9 To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of Twenty five Dollars, or any other amount, and choose a Director for demonstration work in Agriculture and home Economics. The money to be expended by and the Director to serve on Co-operation with the County Trustees or aid to agriculture of the Berkshire County Farm Bureau, under the provisions of Chapter 273 of the Acts of 1918

Art 10 To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary to pay the expenses of the various Town Departments Viz General Government, Unclassified, Police Department, Health Department, Inspection of Animals, Inspection of Slaughters, Repair of Highways, Repair of Bridges, Opening Roads in Winter, Support of Schools, Charity Department, Public Library, Cemeteries, Interest, Contingent Fund, Repairs of Town Hall and any other purpose that may be necessary

Art 11 To see if the Town will vote to buy Surety Bonds for its bonded officers and raise and appropriate money for the same

Art 12 To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money in anticipation of Revenue of the current financial year

Art 13 To see what action the Town will take upon a resolution requesting legislation First (1) To fix the maximum price at which coal may be sold in any Congressional District or part thereof  
 Sec (2) To provide for prior sales and shipments to Consumers and retailers of coal



257 Art 14 To see if the Town will vote to authorize its Board of Selectmen for and in behalf of said Town, to sell and convey by proper deeds of conveyance the Library property so called situated in the village of Montville upon the best terms obtainable, the proceeds of said sale to be used and applied for another Library site or for Library purposes, or instead of the Selectmen of the Town may vote to authorize its Library Trustees to act as agents

The polls will be opened at Ten O'Clock A M and may be closed at Three O'Clock PM and you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting true and attested copies thereof in three public places in said Town seven days at least before the time of holding said meeting

Hereof fail not and of this warrant with your doings thereon make due return to the Town Clerk at or before the time of holding said meeting

Given under our hands at Sandisfield the First day of March A D 1923

Thomas Fox ) Selectmen  
Charles D Strickland ) of  
Daniel W Gage ) Sandisfield

Berkshire SS

Sandisfield Mass Mar 12 1923

By virtue of this the within warrant I have served the same by posting true and attested copies thereof in three public places, One on the Town Hall, One in the Post Office New Boston and one in South Sandisfield Post Office, Seven days before the time of said meeting

Joseph H Tacy Constable  
Town of Sandisfield

Attest Edson P Twining  
Town Clerk

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259 Town Meeting Monday March 12th 1923

Meeting called to order and warrant read by Edson P Twining, Town Clerk

Ballot Clerks (Dennis O'Brien  
(Orlo C Twining)

Art 1 Thomas Fox was chosen Moderator  
Polls opened at 10 o'clock A M  
" 2 To vote by ballott for Town Officers  
" 3 Voted to pass over this article  
" 4 Voted to accept the Town Reports  
" 5 Voted to receive bids for collection of Taxes  
" 6 Voted to grant the collector of Taxes the same power that  
Treasurers have when he collects them  
" 7 Thomas Fox was chosen Town Agent  
" 8 Voted to accept the Jury List as presented by the Selectmen  
" 9 Voted to raise the sum of Twenty-five dollars fro the Farm Bureau  
Frank Hawley was chosen Director  
" 10 Voted to raise and appropriate the following sums of money  
A Voted to raise for General Government \$700.00  
B " " " " Unclassified account 200 00  
C " " appropriate for Highways 1400 00  
D " " " " Bridges 1500 00







259	E	Voted to appropriate for opening of Roads	800.00
	F	" " " " Schools	6000 00
	G	" " " " Inspection of Slaughters	225 00
	H	" " " " Inspection of Animals	20 00
	I	Voted to " " roofing & repairing Town Hall	350 00
	J	Voted no appropriation for cemeteries	
	K	" " " " Police	
	L	" " " " Health Department	
260	M	No appropriation for Charity (none used)	

Art 11 Voted to buy the Bonds for its bonded Officers and to appropriate for same

" 12 Voted to authorize the Town Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow Four thousand dollars (\$4000) in anticipation of Revenue for the current year

" 13 Voted to send the resolution in this article to Congress

" 14 Voted to give the Selectmen power to sell the Library property in Montville, and in accord with the Trustees to buy other property in or near New Boston

" 15 Voted not to sell the property for less than six hundred dollars ( \$600

" 15 Voted to appropriate for Forest Fires \$150.00

#### List of Jurors

Harry H Rogers	Daniel W Gage
Jason Sears	Edson P Twining
Alfred Snow	Henry J Ives
Howard Spring	Max Goodman

Voted that we let Lucy T Humphrey collect our Taxes for the current year at 3% (Three per cent)

Voted to fill in part of the bed River under the Bridge near the site of Old Birch Mill

261 Committee on Cemeteries

No 1	Wallace Whitney
No 2	Walter White
No 3	Geo Lain
No 4	Harry Riiska
No 5	James Roberts
No 6	Harry Rogers

#### Field Drivers

James Clark  
Alfred Carter  
Henry Winship

#### Pound Keeper

Charles D Strickland

#### Fence Viewers

Frank E Hawley  
Fred Whitney  
Alfred Mull



Surveyors of Lumber  
 Chas D Strickland  
 Rufus Fargo  
 Thomas Fox

Caretaker of Town Hall  
 Dennis O'Brien

Tree Warden  
 Charles D Strickland

Voted to close the Polls at 3 o'clock

March 15th 1923. Selectmen organized. All present  
 Thomas Fox Chairman & Secretary. Appointments as follows, viz  
 Charles D Strickland, Superintendent of Highways. Inspector of Slaughter Harry  
 Rogers, Henry Winship, Rufus Fargo, Inspectors of Animals & Barns, Joseph O'Brien  
 Jason Sears, Sealer of Weights & Measures. Jason Sears, Inspector of Moths  
 Samuel R Wilber, Game Warden

Organized as Board of Health Thomas Fox, Chairman & Secretary

Attest Edson P Twining Town Clerk

# Town Officers for current year

Polls closed at 3 o'clock & Ballots counted the following is a true copy of the  
 Seventy four votes cast

For	Town Clerk		
	Max Nager	Twenty one	21
	Edson P Twining	Forty eight	48
	Blanks		5
			<u>74</u>
For	Town Treasurer		
	Thomas Fox	Sixty five	65
	Blanks	Nine	9
			<u>74</u>
For	Selectmen		
	Henry Dodd	Twenty eight	28
	Thomas Fox	Sixty two	62
	Charles D Strickland	Forty two	42
	Howard Spring	Forty	40
	Fred P Whitney	Thirty six	36
	Blanks		14
			<u>222</u>
	Assessor for Three years		
	Max Goodman	Twenty seven	27
	Edson P Twining	Forty three	43
	Blanks		4
			<u>74</u>
	School Committee for Three Years		
	Frank Hawley	Thirty three	33
	Lucy T Humphrey	Thirty seven	37
	Blanks		4
			<u>74</u>



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School Committee for two years		
Daniel W Gage	Thirty four	34
Edson P Twining	Thirty four	34
Blanks		6
		<u>74</u>

School Committee for one year		
Max Goodman	Twenty nine	29
Franklin Waugh	Thirty three	33
Blanks		12
		<u>74</u>

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Constable for one year		
Albert Liddard	Twenty seven	27
Gustave Riiska	Twenty two	22
Jason Sears	Forty four	44
Franklin Waugh	Thirty two	32
Blanks	Twenty three	23
		<u>148</u>

Library Trustee for Three years		
Lucy T Humphrey	Fifty five	55
Blanks		19
		<u>74</u>

Auditor for one year		
Clifford Cronk	Thirty nine	39
Gertrude Mackay	Twenty six	26
Blanks		9
		<u>74</u>

License Question		
Yes	Thirty four	34
No	Twenty two	22
Blanks		18
		<u>74</u>

Voted to adjourn this meeting without date

Attest Edson P Twining  
Town Clerk

Republican Town Committee

Organized as follows on March 21st 1923

Orlo C Twining	Chairman
Edwin R Soules	Secretary
Frank S Humphrey	Treasurer

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Berkshire SS

Sandisfield Mass March 28th 1923

By virtue of the within warrant I have served the same by posting true and attested copies of same in three public places, viz. New Boston P.O. South Sandisfield P.O. and one in the Town Hall seven days before the time of said meeting

Jason Sears, Constable of the Town of Sandisfield





Berkshire SS

To Jason Sears, Constable of the town of Sandisfield, Greeting  
In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are directed to notify & warn the inhabitants of the Town of Sandisfield qualified to vote in election and town affairs to meet in the Town Hall on Monday the Second day of April 1923 at 10 o'clock A M for the following purposes:

Art 1 To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting

Art 2 To vote by ballot for Town Officers & terms thereof as follows

One School Committee for the term of Two years

All the names of candidates for said office to be brought in on one

Ballot and the Ballot will be furnished at the polling place

The polls will be opened at Ten O'Clock A M and may be closed at three o'clock P M and you are directed to serve this warrant by posting true & attested copies thereof in three publick places seven days before the time of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not and of this warrant with your doings thereon make due returns to the Town Clerk at or before the time of holding said meeting

Given under our hands at Sandisfield this Twentieth day of March A D 1923

Thomas Fox ) Selectmen  
Chas D Strickland ) of  
Howard Spring ) Sandisfield

Attest

Edson P Twining, Town Clerk

Sandisfield April 2nd 1923

Meeting called at Ten O'Clock A M

Dennis O'Brien and O C Twining appointed Ballot Clerks

School Committee for Two years	
D W Gage	Twenty one 21
Edson P Twining	Three 3

Polls closed at Three O'Clock P M

Vote to adjourn "Sine die"

Attest

Edson P Twining, Town Clerk

Sandisfield June 9th 1923. Application for License for permit to sell certain explosives

To the Chairman of the Board of Selectmen

The Undersigned respectfully ask for a permit to sell Fire Works to the amount of Forty five dollars in my general Store at New Boston, Mass.

In conformity with the regulations made by the Dective and Fire Inspection Department of the District Police

Signed - Max Nager  
New Boston, Mass

Application approved and permit is granted

Thomas Fox Chairman Board of Selectmen



Sandisfield June 6th 1923

This is to certify that Max Nager has been granted a license to keep and sell Fire Works from the Sixth day of June to the Sixth day of July 1923

Attest - Edson P Twining, Town Clerk

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## Petition of

The New England Tel. & Telegraph Co. of Mass. Poles & wire Location

The Town of Sandisfield Mass, through its Board of Selectmen respectfully represent that the New England Tel & Tel Co of Mass. desire to construct a line of poles wire & fixtures, & the necessary protection & sustaining of same along & across the public ways hereinafter named.

Whereof it prays that after due notice & hearing as provided by laws it may be granted a location & permission to erect such poles & wires, together with such protection as may be necessary. Said Poles & wires to be erected in accordance with the plans herewithin: Marked 20. 1240 dated July 23rd 1923

Your petitioner agrees to reserve space for a cross-arm at a suitable point on side of Poles for the Telephone line and Public Signals wires owned by the Town & used for munipicle purposes.

The following are the streets & highways above refered to

140 Poles from Weisner Residence, to the Residence of J B Kimberley, approximately 3.4 miles on the West Otis and Montville road

The New England Tel & Tel Co. at Mass.

By Geo. H. Dresser

General Manager

Dated this 23rd of July 1923

The Plans of such construction are herewithin attached

Edson P Twining, Town Clerk of Sandisfield

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Perambulation of line between the Towns of Sandisfield and New Marlboro.

Commencing at the stone monument on the Connecticut line, at the South East corner of New Marlboro and the South West corner of Sandisfield, thence North 30° East 47.25 chains to a stone monument at the corner of Sandisfield, thence North 30° East 108' 50 chains to a stone monument near a discontinued highway, thence North 30° East 67.50 chains to a stone monument on the highway at the William Sage place, thence North 30° 15' East 200' 24 chains to a stone monument on the highway from Sandisfield Centre to New Marlboro, near the farmer Samuel Brewer place, thence North 30° 45' East 108 chains to a stone monument on the highway near the Stumpf place so called, thence North 40° East 74' 75 chains to a stone monument near an oak tree marked , and thence to the N E corner of the Towns of New Marlboro and Monterey at S E corner.

Sandisfield Dec 20, 1923

Thomas Fox ) Selectmen of  
Howard Spring) Sandisfield

E M Stanton ) Selectmen of  
Howard Sheldon) New Marlboro

Attest - Edson P Twining Town Clerk





Berkshire ss:

At a special meeting of the county commissioners begun and holden at Pittsfield within and for the county of Berkshire on Monday, the eighteenth day of June A D 1923

Present, Frank Howard

Robert S Tillotson

John Henderson

County Commissioners

Whereas, upon the petition of Department of Public Works, Division of Highways, for the lay out as a county way, under Chapter 221 of the General Acts of 1915, as amended, of a road in the towns of Otis and Sandisfield in said county, which petition is dated February 16, 1923, and was filed on February 19, 1923, an order of notice was passed appointing a time when and a place where the county commissioners would proceed to view the premises referred to in said petition, and would hear all persons interested therein and take such action in relation thereto as by law they might be authorized or required to do; and

Whereas, Frank Howard, Robert S Tillotson and John Henderson county commissioners met in pursuance of said order at the town hall in said Otis on the fifteenth day of May A D 1923, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, the time and place appointed in said order, and (it then appearing that the inhabitants of said Otis and Sandisfield and all other persons interested had been duly notified of said petition and of the time, place and purpose of said meeting in the manner prescribed by law in accordance with the requirements of said order) viewed and premises heard persons interested, and then and there adjudicated that common convenience and necessity require the laying out of a county way as prayed for in said petition;

271 It appearing that no one now objects ordered that a right of way for said highway be and hereby is laid out over lands belonging or supposed to belong to Luella Colton, Fannie E Whitter, Edwin W Strickland, Samuel L Spring and Frederick Richardson all of said Otis, Charles M Robinson of Middletown, Connecticut, Frances Balch, Abe Cohen, Frank S and Lucy T Humphrey all of said Sandisfield, Robert P Ward of Winsted, Connecticut, Robert P and Horace W Ward both of Winsted, Connecticut, American Brass Company of Waterbury, Connecticut, Heirs or divises of Jerome Sage, deceased, and Fay V Briesen alias Brisen of New York, N Y, as follows:

272 The base line begins at a point in Otis village shown on plan as station 255 and extends thence south  $120^{\circ} 22' 30''$  east for the distance of 390.68 feet; thence by a curve to the left of 366.18 feet radius for the distance of 147.95 feet; thence south  $350^{\circ} 31' 30''$  east for the distance of 351.74 feet; thence south  $330^{\circ} 10' 40''$  east for the distance of 215.85 feet; thence south  $380^{\circ} 10' 50''$  east for the distance of 123.59 feet to a point in the dividing line between the town of Otis and Sandisfield shown on plan as station  $267 \pm 29.81$ ; thence in said Sandisfield by the same course (south  $380^{\circ} 10' 50''$  east) for the distance of 220.03 feet to a point in the dividing line between the towns of said Sandisfield and Otis shown on plan as station  $269 \pm 49.84$ ; thence in said Otis by the same course (south  $380^{\circ} 10' 50''$  east) for the distance of 96.28 feet; thence south  $460^{\circ} 19' 00''$  east for the distance of 240.52 feet; thence south  $410^{\circ} 09' 00''$  east for the distance of 117.22 feet; thence south  $190^{\circ} 46' 30''$  east for the distance of 315.99 feet; thence by a curve to the right of 412.69 feet radius for the distance of 130.89 feet; thence south  $1036' 10''$  east for the distance of 125.46 feet; thence south  $00^{\circ} 31' 40''$  west for the distance of 243.46 feet; thence south  $1050' 50''$  west for the distance of 452.00 feet; thence by a curve to the left of 819.43 feet radius for the distance of 250.04 feet; thence south  $150^{\circ} 39' 00''$  east for the distance of 436.70 feet; thence by a curve to the right of 1113.12 feet radius for the distance of 337.39 feet; thence south  $1043' 00''$  west for the distance of 538.72 feet; thence south  $4050' 50''$  east for the distance of 276.50 feet; thence south  $14008' 40''$  east for the distance of 102.94 feet; thence by a curve to the right of 1182.62 feet radius for the distance of 199.52 feet; thence south  $40^{\circ} 28' 40''$  east for the distance of





272 234.29 feet; thence by a curve to the left of 1229.13 feet radius for the distance of 259.04 feet; thence south 16° 33' 10" east for the distance of 325.75 feet; thence south 18° 58' 40" east for the distance of 159.73 feet; thence by a curve to the left of 461.48 feet radius for the distance of 215.97 feet; thence south 45° 47' 30" east for the distance of 163.66 feet; thence by a curve to the right of 689.57 feet radius for the distance of 198.62 feet; thence by a curve to the right of 1588.64 feet; radius for the distance of 198.48 feet; thence south 22° 07' 40" east for the distance of 244.18 feet; thence south 17° 35' 30" east for the distance of 817.85 feet; thence south 4° 02' 40" east for the distance of 473.96 feet; thence south 1° 54' 10" west for the distance of 433.74 feet; thence south 5° 01' 00" east for the distance of 188.38 feet; thence by a curve to the right of 910.62 feet radius for the distance of 179.42 feet; thence south 6° 16' 20" west for the distance of 511.43 feet; thence south 3° 31' 20" for the distance of 682.76 feet; thence south 0° 53' 30" west for the distance of 454.35 feet; thence south 13° 15' 50" west for the distance of 172.09 feet; thence south 21° 46' 40" west for the distance of 85.93 feet thence south 34° 33' 30" west for the distance of 103.89 feet; thence south 42° 13' 10" west for the distance of 247.71 feet; thence south 58° 07' 30" west for the distance of 197.96 feet; thence by a curve to the left of 324.41 feet radius for the distance of 137.89 feet; thence south 33° 46' 20" west for the distance of 199.73 feet; thence south 27° 23' 30" west for the distance of 144.58 feet to a point shown on plan as station 383 + 17.39 said station equalling station 383 + 22.67 of the line ahead; thence south 19° 32' 10" west for the distance of 652.04 feet; thence by a curve to the right of 805-52 feet radius for the distance of 303.71 feet; thence by a curve to the left of 1006.25 feet radius for the distance of 317.34 feet; thence south 23° 04' 10" west for the distance of 66.16 feet; thence by a curve to the left of 1043.60 feet radius for the distance of 356.49 feet; thence south 3° 29' 50" west for the distance of 647.00 feet; thence by a curve to the right of 981.65 feet radius for the distance of 238.82 feet; thence south 17° 26' 10" west for the distance of 327.07 feet; thence by a curve to the left of 579.03 feet radius for the distance of 236.65 feet; thence south 5° 58' 50" east for the distance of 416.50 feet; thence south 0° 36' 50" east for the distance of 9f 891.60; thence south 1° 16' 50" east for the distance of 488.46 feet; thence by a curve to the right of 1163.60 feet radius for the distance of 327.66 feet; thence by a curve to the right of 2156.66 feet radius for the distance of 196.46 feet; thence south 20° 04' 50" west for the distance of 59.21 feet; thence by a curve to the left of 1310.10 feet radius for the distance of 269.08 feet; thence south 8° 18' 50" west for the distance of 156.95 feet; thence by a curve to the left of 1021.29 feet radius for the distance of 179.54 feet; thence south 1045' 30" east for the distance of 211.76 feet; thence south 6° 23' 20" east for the distance of 229.51 feet; thence south 9° 54' 20" east for the distance of 531.62 feet to a point shown on plan as station 454 + 26.42, said point being in the dividing line between the said towns of Otis and Sandisfield and said station equalling station 0 of the line ahead; thence continuing in said Sandisfield by the same course (south 9° 54' 20" east) for the distance of 6.90 feet; thence by a curve to the left of 1156.40 feet radius for the distance of 189.90 feet; thence south 19° 14' 00" east for the distance of 305.20 feet; thence south 13° 48' 10" east for the distance of 164.31 feet; thence by a curve to the right of 987.89 feet radius for the distance of 600.74 feet; thence south 21° 02' 20" west for the distance of 747.30 feet to a point shown on plan as station 20 + 14.35, said station equalling station 20 + 96.78 of the line ahead; thence by the same course (south 21° 02' 20" west) for the distance of 163.88 feet; thence by a curve to the right of 983.87 feet radius for the distance of 202.48 feet; thence south 32° 49' 50" west for the distance of 177.93 feet; thence by a curve to the left of 416.89 feet radius for the distance of 196.29 feet; thence south 51° 51' 10" west for the distance of 211.93 feet; thence south 1° 30' 20" west for the distance of 263.33 feet; thence by a curve to the left of 1202.44 feet radius





274 for the distance of 239.19 feet; thence by a curve to the left of 1075.31 feet  
 radius for the distance of 193.36 feet; thence by a curve to the right of 891.89  
 feet radius for the distance of 158.56 feet; thence south  $10^{\circ} 10' 40''$  east for  
 the distance of 185.67 feet; thence by a curve to the right of 1721.25 feet radius  
 for the distance of 279.39 feet; thence south  $00^{\circ} 42' 40''$  east for the distance of  
 275 369.21 feet; thence by a curve to the left of 958.14 feet radius for the distance  
 of 99.20 feet; thence south  $12^{\circ} 37' 40''$  east for the distance of 178.35 feet; thence  
 south  $7^{\circ} 28' 40''$  east for the distance of 306.76 feet; thence by a curve to the  
 right of 991.32 feet radius for the distance of 221.08 feet; thence south  $5^{\circ} 18' 00''$   
 west for the distance of 96.93 feet; thence by a curve to the left of 1066.16 feet  
 radius for the distance of 199.42 feet; thence south  $5^{\circ} 25' 00''$  east for the dis-  
 tance of 140.80 feet; thence by a curve to the left of 501.11 feet radius for the  
 distance of 306.47 feet; thence south  $40^{\circ} 27' 30''$  east for the distance of 125.10  
 feet; thence south  $33^{\circ} 39' 20''$  east for the distance of 165.86 feet; thence south  
 $27^{\circ} 38' 40''$  east for the distance of 105.19 feet; thence by a curve to the right  
 of 906.04 feet radius for the distance of 218.96 feet; thence south  $13^{\circ} 48' 00''$   
 east for the distance of 307.72 feet; thence south  $21^{\circ} 18' 20''$  east for the dis-  
 tance of 318.34 feet; thence south  $24^{\circ} 51' 40''$  east for the distance of 247.05 feet;  
 thence south  $24^{\circ} 14' 40''$  east for the distance of 330.95 feet; thence by a curve to  
 the right of 763.35 feet radius for the distance of 904.81 feet; thence south  $43^{\circ}$   
 $40' 10''$  west for the distance of 119.97 feet; thence by a curve to right of 1206.30  
 feet radius for the distance of 199.54 feet; thence south  $53^{\circ} 08' 50''$  west for the  
 distance of 242.05 feet; thence by a curve to the right of 714.11 feet radius for  
 the distance of 237.78 feet; thence south  $72^{\circ} 13' 30''$  west for the distance of  
 331.43 feet; thence south  $78^{\circ} 55' 30''$  west for the distance of 500.73 feet; thence  
 by a curve to the right of 1190.56 feet radius for the distance of 318.09 feet;  
 thence north  $85^{\circ} 46' 00''$  west for the distance of 121.95 feet; thence south  $84^{\circ}$   
 $56' 50''$  west for the distance of 178.79 feet; thence south  $76^{\circ} 50' 20''$  west for  
 the distance of 220.21 feet; thence south  $69^{\circ} 7' 50''$  west for the distance of  
 276 753.99 feet; thence by a curve to the left 928.95 feet radius for the distance of  
 863.95 feet to a point shown on plan as station 132  $\neq$  49.10, said station equal-  
 ling station 132  $\neq$  46.13, of the line ahead; thence by a curve to the left of  
 272.91 feet radius for the distance of 78.18 feet; thence south  $0^{\circ} 34' 10''$  east  
 for the distance of 243.29 feet; thence south  $9^{\circ} 08' 00''$  east for the distance of  
 201.82 feet; thence south  $17^{\circ} 34' 20''$  east for the distance of 233.88 feet; thence  
 by a curve to the right of 406.36 feet radius for the distance of 387.65 feet;  
 thence south  $37^{\circ} 15' 10''$  west for the distance of 47.97 feet; thence by a curve to  
 the right of 347.50 feet radius for the distance of 195.93 feet; thence south  $65^{\circ}$   
 $25' 40''$  west for the distance of 119.68 feet; thence by a curve to the right of  
 993.63 feet radius for the distance of 248.69 feet; thence south  $79^{\circ} 49' 40''$  west  
 for the distance of 173.15 feet; thence by a curve to the left of 336.71 feet  
 radius for the distance of 330.61 feet; thence south  $23^{\circ} 34' 10''$  west for the dis-  
 tance of 187.69 feet; thence by a curve to the left of 677.96 feet radius for the  
 distance of 149.27 feet; thence south  $9^{\circ} 43' 40''$  west for the distance of 59.30  
 feet; thence by a curve to the left of 956.03 feet radius for the distance of  
 159.63 feet; thence south  $0^{\circ} 09' 40''$  west for the distance of 403.90 feet; thence  
 south  $5^{\circ} 3' 00''$  east for the distance of 292.38 feet; thence south 38; thence  
 south  $3^{\circ} 45' 20''$  east for the distance of 298.19 feet; thence by a curve to the  
 right of 670.75 feet radius for the distance of 235.66 feet; thence by a curve to  
 right of 380.77 feet radius for the distance of 225.20 feet; thence by a curve to  
 the right of 270.76 feet radius for the distance of 75.51 feet; thence south  $66^{\circ}$   
 $12' 10''$  west for the distance of 94.11 feet; thence by a curve to the left of  
 608.31 feet radius for the distance of 287.07 feet; thence south  $39^{\circ} 21' 10''$  west  
 277 for the distance of 420.10 feet; thence south  $36^{\circ} 26' 10''$  west for the distance of  
 172.81 feet; thence south  $25^{\circ} 54' 10''$  west for the distance of 438.29 feet; thence  
 south  $30^{\circ} 20' 00''$  west for the distance of 113.14 feet; thence by a curve to the





277 right 378.92 feet radius for the distance of 138.44 feet; thence south  $51^{\circ} 16' 00''$  west for the distance of 101.60; thence south  $34^{\circ} 16' 00''$  west for the distance of 151.98 feet; thence by a curve to the left of 314.04 feet radius for the distance of 237.96 feet; thence south  $8^{\circ} 32' 30''$  east for the distance of 266.48 feet to a point at the end of the layout about 445 feet northwesterly (as the crow flies) from the westerly abutment of the steel truss bridge over the Farmington River in the village of New Boston in said Sandisfield, said point being shown on plan as station 200  $\angle$  13.76.

The total length of layout hereby laid out is  $3^{\circ} 8550.14$  feet.

278 The easterly line of location begins at a point bearing north  $77^{\circ} 37' 30''$  east and 30.00 feet distant from the point of beginning of the above described base line shown on plan as station 255 and extends thence parallel to, and 30.00 feet distant from said base line to a point bearing north  $77^{\circ} 37' 30''$  east and 30.00 feet distant from a point on said base line shown on plan as station 258  $\angle$  90.68; thence north  $77^{\circ} 37' 30''$  east to a point in the middle of Farmington River; thence south-easterly by a line along the middle of said river to a point opposite station 262  $\angle$  30.00 of the base line; thence south  $50^{\circ} 28' 30''$  east and 65.38 feet distant from a point on said line shown on plan as station 262  $\angle$  30.00; thence south  $35^{\circ} 38' 23''$  east for the distance of 373.69 feet to a point bearing north  $52^{\circ} 40' 45''$  east and 75.01 feet distant from a point on said base line shown on plan as station 266  $\angle$  06.22; thence south  $30^{\circ} 10' 50''$  east for the distance of 193.41 feet to a point in the dividing line between the said towns of Otis and Sandisfield, said point bearing south  $84^{\circ} 46' 21''$  east and being 103.24 feet distant from a point on said base line shown on plan as station 267  $\angle$  29.81; thence continuing in said Sandisfield by the same course (south  $8^{\circ} 10' 50''$  east) for the distance of 76.04 feet to point in the dividing line between the towns of Sandisfield and Otis, said point bearing north  $7^{\circ} 34' 34''$  east and being 101.64 feet distant from a point on said base line shown on plan as station 264  $\angle$  49.84; thence continuing again in said Otis by the same course (south  $38^{\circ} 10' 50''$  east for the distance of 167.11 feet to a point bearing north  $50^{\circ} 07' 54''$  east and 75.03 feet distant from a point on said base line shown on plan as station 270  $\angle$  46.12; thence south  $42^{\circ} 44' 51''$  east for the distance of 201.50 feet to a point bearing north  $61^{\circ} 16' 00''$  east and 65.05 feet distant from a point on said base line shown on plan as station 272  $\angle$  36.00; thence north  $61^{\circ} 16' 00''$  east to a point in the middle of the aforesaid Farmington River; thence southerly by the said middle of river to a point opposite station 325  $\angle$  75.00 of the base line; thence south  $44^{\circ} 18' 30''$  west to a point bearing north  $44^{\circ} 18' 30''$  east and 50.00 feet distant from the aforesaid station 325  $\angle$  75.00; thence extending parallel to and 50.00 feet distant from the above described base line to a point bearing north  $68^{\circ} 43' 44''$  east and 50.01 feet distant from a point on said base line shown on plan as station 332  $\angle$  85.72; thence south  $19^{\circ} 00' 07''$  east for the distance of 417.62 feet to a point bearing north  $72^{\circ} 24' 30''$  east and 60.18 feet distant from a point on said base line shown on plan as station 337  $\angle$  00; thence north  $72^{\circ} 24' 30''$  east to a point in the aforesaid middle of the Farmington River; thence southerly by the said middle of river to a point opposite station 345  $\angle$  27.36; thence north  $39^{\circ} 16' 37''$  west to a point bearing south  $89^{\circ} 16' 37''$  east and 35.18 feet distant from the aforesaid station 345  $\angle$  27.36; thence south  $0^{\circ} 43' 23''$  west for the distance of 50.00 feet to a point bearing south  $89^{\circ} 16' 37''$  east and 31.01 feet distant from a point on said base line shown on plan as station 345  $\angle$  77.53; thence south  $89^{\circ} 16' 37''$  east to a point in the middle of the aforesaid Farmington River; thence southerly by the said middle of river to a point bearing south  $71^{\circ} 55' 28''$  east from a point on said base line shown on plan as station 371  $\angle$  99.70; thence north  $71^{\circ} 11' 28''$  west to a point bearing south  $71^{\circ} 55' 28''$  east and 43.06 feet distant from the aforesaid station 371  $\angle$  99.70; thence by a curve bearing to the south-west and west 603.91 feet radius for the distance of 258.64 feet to a point bearing south  $2^{\circ} 55' 21''$  east and 70.54 feet distant from a point on said baseline shown





279 on plan as station 373  $\neq$  89.52; thence by a curve to the right of 1467.02 feet  
 radius for the distance of 407.25 feet to a point bearing south  $31^{\circ} 52' 30''$  east  
 and 50.00 feet distant from a point on said base line shown on plan as station  
 378  $\neq$  35.19; thence south  $31^{\circ} 52' 30''$  east to a point in the aforesaid middle of  
 the Farmington River; thence south-westerly by said middle of river to a point  
 opposite station 384  $\neq$  00 of the base line; thence north  $70^{\circ} 27' 50''$  west to a  
 point bearing south  $70^{\circ} 27' 50''$  east and 50.00 feet distant from the aforesaid  
 station 384  $\neq$  00; thence parallel to and 50.00 feet distant from the above des-  
 cribed base line to a point bearing south  $42^{\circ} 48' 05''$  east and 56.45 feet distant  
 280 from a point on said base line shown on plan as station 389  $\neq$  74; thence by a  
 curve to the right of 789.32 feet radius for the distance of 297.61 feet to a  
 point bearing south  $48^{\circ} 51' 40''$  east and 55.00 feet distant from a point on said  
 base line shown on plan as station 392  $\neq$  7842; thence by a curve to the left of  
 1092.11 feet radius for the distance of 498.04 feet to a point bearing south  $74^{\circ}$   
 $59' 23''$  east and 50.21 feet distant from a point on said base line shown on plan  
 as station 398  $\neq$  00; thence north  $74^{\circ} 59' 23''$  west for the distance of 25.00 feet  
 to a point bearing south  $74^{\circ} 59' 23''$  east and 25.21 feet distance from the said  
 station 398  $\neq$  00; thence southerly be a curve to the left of 1117.11 ft radius  
 for the distance of 224.47 ft to a point bearing south  $62^{\circ} 24' 38''$  east and 27.39  
 ft distant from a point on said base line shown on plan as station 400  $\neq$  18.41;  
 thence parallel to and 25.00 ft distant from said base line to a point bearing  
 south  $86^{\circ} 30' 10''$  east and 25.00 ft distant from a point on said base line shown  
 on plan as station 405  $\neq$  40.00; thence south  $58^{\circ} 30' 10''$  east to a point in the  
 middle of the aforesaid Farmington River; thence southerly by said middle of  
 river to a point opposite station 407  $\neq$  70; thence north  $80^{\circ} 23' 54''$  west to a  
 point bearing south  $80^{\circ} 23' 54''$  east and 50.00 feet distant from the aforesaid  
 station 407  $\neq$  70; thence on a curve to the south and southwest of 1031.65 ft  
 radius for a distance of 52.55 ft to a point bearing south  $77^{\circ} 28' 48''$  east and  
 50.00 ft distant from station 408  $\neq$  20; thence south  $77^{\circ} 28' 48''$  east to a point  
 in the middle of the aforesaid Farmington River; thence southerly by middle of  
 aforesaid Farmington River to a point opposite station 420  $\neq$  50.00 of the base  
 line; thence south  $89^{\circ} 23' 10''$  west to a point bearing north  $89^{\circ} 23' 10''$  east  
 and 50.36 ft distant from the aforesaid station 420  $\neq$  50.00; thence south  $3^{\circ}$   
 $01' 29''$  east for the distance of 348.20 ft to a point bearing north  $87^{\circ} 31' 54''$   
 east and 65.03 ft distant from a point on said base line shown on plan as station  
 424  $\neq$  00; thence south  $0^{\circ} 36' 50''$  east for the distance of 379.31 ft to a point  
 281 bearing south  $89^{\circ} 35' 40''$  and 65.01 ft distant from a point on said base line  
 shown on plan as station 427  $\neq$  76.05; thence south  $0^{\circ} 28' 40''$  west for the dis-  
 tance of 538.72 ft to a point bearing south  $44^{\circ} 18' 08''$  east and 71.02 ft distant  
 from a point on said base line shown on plan as station 432  $\neq$  64.51; thence by a  
 curve to the right of 1100.00 ft radius for the distance of 326.54 ft to a point  
 bearing south  $38^{\circ} 06' 31''$  east and 60.66 ft distant from a point on said base  
 line shown on plan as station 435  $\neq$  92.32; thence south  $17^{\circ} 29' 10''$  west for the  
 distance of 162.12 ft to a point bearing south  $72^{\circ} 30' 50''$  east and 50.00 feet  
 distant from a point on said base line shown on plan as station 437  $\neq$  88.78;  
 thence by a curve to the left of 3049.19 feet radius for the distance of 476.57  
 feet to a point bearing south  $81^{\circ} 15' 05''$  east and 50.00 feet distant from a  
 point on said base line shown on plan as station 442  $\neq$  75.99; thence by a curve  
 to the left of 815.81 feet radius for the distance of 223.13 feet to a point  
 bearing south  $48^{\circ} 11' 58''$  east and 76.52 feet distant from a point on said base  
 line shown on plan as station 444  $\neq$  53.53; thence south  $7^{\circ} 10' 40''$  east for the  
 distance of 856.24 feet to a point bearing north  $82^{\circ} 49' 20''$  east and 50.82 feet  
 distant from a point on said base line shown on plan as station 453  $\neq$  69.02;  
 thence by a curve to the left of 1158.25 feet for the distance of 68.68 feet to  
 a point in the dividing line between the said towns of Otis and Sandisfield said  
 point bearing south  $84^{\circ} 28' 10''$  east and being 51.38 feet distant from a point





281 on the above described base line shown on plan as station 454 -/ 26.42; thence  
continuing in said Sandisfield by same curve to the left for the distance of  
175.02 feet to a point bearing north 70° 46' 00" east and 50.00 feet distant  
from a point on said base line shown on plan as station 1 / 96.80; thence par-  
282 allel to 50.00 feet distant from said base line to a point bearing north 70° 46'  
00" east and 50.00 feet distant from a point on said base line shown on plan as  
station 3 / 37.69; thence by a curve to the right of 3514.55 feet radius for the  
distance of 333.11 feet to a point bearing north 76° 11' 50" east and 50.00 feet  
distant from a point on said base line shown on plan as station 6 / 66.21; thence  
parallel to and 50.00 distant from said base line to a point bearing south 68°  
57' 40" east and 50.00 ft distant from a point on said base line shown on plan as  
station 19 / 50.00; thence south 68° 57' 41" east to a point in the aforesaid  
Farmington River, said middle of river marking the dividing line between the said  
towns of Sandisfield and Tolland and between Berkshire and Hampden Counties;  
thence southerly by said middle of river to a point bearing north 82° 18' 37"  
east from station 61 / 00; thence south 82° 18' 37" west to a point bearing north  
82° 18' 37" east and 20.00 ft distant from the said station 61 / 00; thence  
southerly be a curve to the left of 481.11 ft radius for the distance of 48.00 ft  
to a point bearing north 76° 35' 36" east and 20.00 ft distant from a point on  
said base line shown on plan as station 61 / 50.00; thence north 76° 35' 36"  
east to a point in the aforesaid middle of the Farmington River; thence south by  
said middle of river to a point bearing north 54° 03' 20" east from station 66 /  
24.98; thence south 54° 03' 20" west to a point bearing north 54° 03' 20" east  
and 23.11 ft distant from said station 66 / 24.98 of the base line; thence south  
35° 56' 40" east for the distance of 50.00 ft to a point bearing north 54° 03' 20"  
east and 25.11 ft distant from a point on said base line shown on plan as station  
66 / 75.02; thence north 54° 03' 20" east to a point in the middle of the afore-  
said Farmington River said middle still defining the dividing line between the  
towns of Sandisfield and Tolland and Berkshire and Hampden Counties; thence in  
283 southerly and westerly directions by said middle of river to a point opposite  
station 162 / 50.00 of the above described base line; thence north 89° 50' 20"  
west to a point bearing south 89° 50' 20" east and 25.00 feet distant from the  
aforesaid station 162 / 50.00; thence south 0° 09' 40" west for the distance of  
50.00 ft to a point bearing south 89° 50' 20" east and 25.00 ft distant from a  
point on said base line shown on plan as station 163 / 00; thence south 89°  
50' 20" east to a point in the middle of the aforesaid Farmington River; said  
Middle of river still defining the dividing line between the town of Sandisfield  
and Tolland and Berkshire and Hampden Counties; thence southerly by said middle  
of river to a point about opposite station 168 / 94 of the base line (said point  
being corner No 1 of the aforesaid dividing line and being that point where said  
line leaves the middle of the river and extends south 7° 09' 50" west for about  
29.76 ft to corner No 2 as shown in part on plan); thence by the said line be-  
tween Cornor No. 1 and Corner No. 2, south 7° 09' 50" west to a point marking  
its intersection with middle of the Farmington River; thence extending south-  
westerly in said Sandisfield by the said middle of river to a point opposite  
station 187 / 00 of the base line; thence north 64° 05' 00" west to a point bear-  
ing south 64° 05' 50" east and 18.44 ft distant from the said station 187 / 00;  
thence extending south 26° 33' 29" west for the distance of 306.27 feet to a  
point bearing south 56° 16' 50" east and 15.12 feet distant from a point on said  
base line shown on plan as station 190 / 04.19; thence south 32° 54' 11" west  
for the distance of 115.05 ft to a point bearing south 44° 31' 12" east and 10.30  
ft distant from a point on said base line shown on plan as station 191 / 17.33;  
thence by a curve to the right of 1060.00 ft radius for the distance of 171.61  
feet to a point bearing south 10° 31' 07" west and 39.72 feet distant from a  
284 point on said base line shown on plan as station 192 / 55.77; thence by a curve  
to the left of 619.91 ft radius for the distance of 79.11 ft to a point on said





284 base line shown on plan as station 193 / 37.37; thence parallel to and 40.00 feet distant from said base line to a point bearing south 55° 08' 00" east and 40.00 feet distant from a point on said base line shown on plan as station 195 / 09.35; thence by a curve to the left of 293.01 ft radius for the distance of 216.49 ft to a point bearing south 86° 20' 56" east and 35.67 ft distant from a point on said base line shown on plan as station 197 / 47.20; thence south 7° 28' 00" east for the distance of 259.56 ft to a point at the end of the layout about 200 ft northerly of the New Boston Inn, said point bearing north 82° 32' 00" east and being 30.00 ft distant from the point of ending of the above described base line shown on plan as station 200 / 13.76

The westerly line of location begins at a point bearing south 77° 37' 30" west and 30.00 ft distant from the point of beginning of the above described base line shown on plan as station 255 / 00, and extends thence parallel to and 30.00 feet distant from said base line to a point bearing south 37° 43' 01" west 39.11 ft distant from a point on said base line shown on plan as station 208 / 68; thence by a curve to the left of 335.79 ft radius for the distance of 136.35 ft to a point bearing 54° 28' 30" west and 35.00 ft distant from a point on said base line shown on plan as station 260 / 38.63; thence south 35° 38' 23" east for the distance of 567.48 feet to a point bearing south 54° 19' 15" west and 25.02 ft distant from a point on said base line shown on plan as station 266 / 06.22; thence south 38° 10' 50" east for the distance of 101.03 ft to a point in the dividing line between the said towns of Otis and Sandisfield, said point bearing north 84° 46' 21" west and being 34.41 ft distant from a point on said base line shown on plan as station 267 / 29.81; thence continuing in said Sandisfield by the same course (south 38° 10' 50" east) for the distance of 268.03 ft to a point in the dividing line between the said towns of Sandisfield and Otis, said point bearing south 7° 34' 39" west and being 34.90 ft distant from a point on said base line shown on plan as station 269 / 49.84; thence continuing again in said Otis by the same course (south 38° 10' 50" east) for the distance of 73.72 feet to a point bearing south 47° 45' 05" west and 25.06 ft distant from a point on said base line shown on plan as station 270 / 46.12; thence south 42° 44' 51" east for the distance of 240.96 ft to a point bearing south 46° 16' 00" west and 40.04 ft distant from a point on said base line shown on plan as station 272 / 86.64; thence parallel to and 40.00 ft distant from said base line to a point bearing north 71° 11' 25" west and 79.90 ft distant from a point on said base line shown on plan as station 277 / 59.17; thence by a curve to the right of 679.46 ft radius for the distance of 253.48 ft to a point bearing south, 5° 55' 12" west and 92.26 ft distant from a point on said base line shown on plan as station 278 / 76.39; thence parallel to and 40.00 ft distant from said base line to a point bearing south 70° 13' 30" west and 40.00 ft distant from a point on said base line shown on plan as station 281 / 92.38; thence by a curve to the right of 674.88 ft radius for the distance of 273.89 ft to a point bearing south 42° 24' 24" west and 39.70 ft distant from a point on said base line shown on plan as station 284 / 48.73; thence south 3° 28' 40" west for the distance of 640.76 ft to a point bearing north 61° 39' 57" west and 55.47 ft distant from a point on said base line shown on plan as station 291 / 44.19; thence by a curve to the left of 869.43 ft radius for the distance of 290.25 ft to a point bearing south 72° 21' 00" west and 50.00 ft distant from a point on said line shown on plan as station 293 / 94.23; thence parallel to and 50.00 ft distant from said base line to a point bearing south 88° 26' 05" west and 50.08 ft distant from a point on said base line shown on plan as station 307 / 17.04; thence south 6° 55' 17" east for the distance of 868.72 ft to a point bearing south 37° 21' 57" west and 73.21 ft distant from a point on said base line shown on plan as station 315 / 20' 29"; thence parallel to and 50.00 ft distant from said base line to a point bearing south 70° 08' 25" west and 50.04 ft distance from a point on said base line shown on plan as station 332 / 85.72; thence south 19° 11' 07" east for the distance of 812.55 ft to a point





286 bearing south  $79^{\circ} 10' 55''$  west and 30.21 ft distant from a point on said base line shown on plan as station 341  $\neq$  03.57; thence south  $00^{\circ} 43' 23''$  west for the distance of 902.32 ft to a point bearing south  $88^{\circ} 26' 35''$  west and 60.11 ft distant from a point on said base line shown on plan as station 350  $\neq$  11.27; thence south  $3^{\circ} 57' 34''$  east for the distance of 1144.81 ft to a point bearing south  $82^{\circ} 29' 32''$  west and 63.65 ft distant from a point on said base line shown on plan as station 351  $\neq$  99.65; thence by a curve to the right of 1520.00 ft radius for the distance of 330.16 ft to a point bearing north  $83^{\circ} 43' 40''$  west and 56.40 ft distant from a point on said base line shown on plan as station 355  $\neq$  44.68; thence south  $8^{\circ} 29' 08''$  for the distance of 15.15 ft to a point bearing north  $83^{\circ} 43' 40''$  west and 62.20 ft distant from a point on said base line shown on plan as station 356  $\neq$  94.71; thence by a curve to the left of 1920.00 ft radius for the distance of 402.39 ft to a point bearing south  $86^{\circ} 28' 40''$  west and 70.00 ft distant from a point on said base line shown on plan as station 360  $\neq$  86.44; thence parallel to and 70.00 ft distant from said base line to a point bearing south  $85^{\circ} 39' 11''$  west and 70.29 ft distant from a point on said base line shown on plan as station 370  $\neq$  27.61; thence by a curve to the right of 503.91 ft radius for the distance of 363.47 ft to a point bearing south  $87^{\circ} 21' 41''$  west and 70.54 ft distant from a point on said base line showing on plan as station 373  $\neq$  89.52; thence by a curve to the right of 1367.02 ft radius for the distance of 379.49 ft to a point bearing north  $31^{\circ} 52' 30''$  west and 50.00 ft distant from a point on said base line shown on plan as station 378  $\neq$  135.19; thence parallel to and 50.00 ft distant from said base line to a point bearing south  $81^{\circ} 52' 25''$  west and 56.45 ft distant from a point on said base line shown on plan as station 389  $\neq$  74.71; thence by a curve to the right of 689.32 ft radius for distance of 259.90 ft to a point bearing north  $48^{\circ} 51' 49''$  west and 45.00 ft distant from a point on said base line shown on plan as station 382  $\neq$  78.42; thence by a curve to the left of 1192.11 ft radius for the distance of 783.18 ft to a point bearing south  $80^{\circ} 53' 30''$  west and 5123 ft distant from a point on said base line shown on plan as station 400  $\neq$  18.41; thence parallel to and 50.00 ft distant from said base line to a point bearing north  $72^{\circ} 33' 50''$  west and 50.00 ft distant from a point on said base line shown on plan as station 409  $\neq$  04.23; thence south  $17^{\circ} 26' 10''$  west for the distance of 399.45 ft to a point bearing south  $52^{\circ} 04' 21''$  west and 87.97 ft distant from a point on said base line shown on plan as station 412  $\neq$  31.30; thence by a curve to the left of 461.91 ft radius for the distance of 188.78 ft to a point bearing south  $84^{\circ} 01' 10''$  west and 65.00 ft distant from a point on said base line shown on plan as station 414  $\neq$  67.95; thence south  $5^{\circ} 58' 50''$  east for the distance of 576.67 to a point bearing south  $89^{\circ} 23' 10''$  west and 49.73 ft distant from a point on said base line shown on plan as station 420  $\neq$  50.00; thence south  $3^{\circ} 01' 29''$  east for the distance of 350.31 ft to a point bearing south  $89^{\circ} 23' 10''$  west and 35.00 ft distant from a point on said base line shown on plan as station 424  $\neq$  00; thence parallel to the above described easterly location line and 100.00 ft distant therefrom to a point in the dividing line between the said towns of Otis and Sandisfield, said point bearing north  $84^{\circ} 28' 10''$  west and being 53.37 ft distant from a point on said base line shown on plan as station 454  $\neq$  26.42; thence continuing in said Sandisfield parallel to the above described easterly line of location and 100.00 ft distant therefrom to a point bearing south  $76^{\circ} 11' 50''$  west and 50.00 ft distant from a point on said base line shown on plan as station 6  $\neq$  66.31; thence parallel to the above described base line and 50.00 ft distant therefrom to a point north  $88^{\circ} 29' 40''$  west and 50.00 ft distant from a point on said base line shown on plan as station 33  $\neq$  12.62; thence by a curve to the left of 1252.44 ft radius for the distance of 271.15 ft to a point bearing south  $56^{\circ} 16' 01''$  west and 54.45 ft distant from a point on said base line shown on plan as station 35  $\neq$  51.81; thence south  $10^{\circ} 53' 55''$  east for the distance of 181.96 ft to a point bearing south  $69^{\circ} 48' 10''$  west and 65.00 ft distant from a point on said base line shown on plan as station 37  $\neq$  45.17; thence south  $15^{\circ} 06' 14''$  east for the distance of 146.81 ft





288 to a point bearing south  $79^{\circ} 59' 20''$  west and 65.00 ft distant from a point on  
 said base line shown on plan as station 39  $\neq$  03.74; thence south  $10^{\circ} 00' 40''$  east  
 289 for the distance of 185.67 ft to a point bearing south  $79^{\circ} 59' 20''$  west and 65.00  
 ft distant from a point on said base line shown on plan as station 40  $\neq$  89.40;  
 thence south  $40^{\circ} 17' 46''$  east for the distance of 268.10 ft to a point bearing  
 south  $89^{\circ} 17' 20''$  west and 70.00 ft distant from a point on said base line shown  
 on plan as station 43  $\neq$  68.79; thence south  $2^{\circ} 15' 45''$  east for the distance of  
 369.35 ft to a point bearing south  $89^{\circ} 17' 20''$  west and 60.00 ft distant from a  
 point on said base line shown on plan as station 47  $\neq$  38.00; thence south  $9^{\circ} 22' 36''$   
 east for the distance of 210.37 ft to a point bearing south  $77^{\circ} 22' 20''$  west  
 and 50.00 ft distant from a point on said base line shown on plan as station 49  
 $\neq$  37.28; thence parallel to and 50.00 ft distant from said base line to a point  
 bearing south  $82^{\circ} 31' 20''$  west and 50.00 ft distant from a point on said base line  
 shown on plan as station 54  $\neq$  22.39; thence by a curve to the right of 641.59 ft radius  
 for the distance of 176.32 ft to a point bearing north  $55^{\circ} 07' 52''$  west and 67.01  
 ft distant from a point on said base line shown on plan as station 56  $\neq$  43.47; thence  
 south  $8^{\circ} 16' 06''$  west for the distance of 128.67 ft to a point bearing north  $84^{\circ} 42' 00''$   
 west and 65.00 ft distant from a point on said base line shown on plan as  
 station 57  $\neq$  39.90; thence by a curve to the left of 871.05 ft radius for the dis-  
 tance of 208.05 ft to a point bearing south  $81^{\circ} 05' 45''$  west and 70.13 ft distant  
 from a point on said base line shown on plan as station 59  $\neq$  39.32; thence parallel  
 to and 70.00 ft distant from said base line to a point bearing south  $82^{\circ} 55' 02''$   
 west and 81.70 ft distant from a point on said base line shown on plan as station  
 63  $\neq$  86.58; thence south  $38^{\circ} 56' 40''$  east for the distance of 323.03 ft to a point  
 290 bearing south  $59^{\circ} 21' 00''$  and 75.10 ft distant from a point on said base line  
 shown on plan as station 66  $\neq$  77.63; thence by a curve to the right of 791.32 ft  
 radius for the distance of 305.84 ft to a point bearing south  $75^{\circ} 12' 55''$  west and  
 65.01 ft distant from a point on said base line shown on plan as station 70  $\neq$  01.75  
 thence parallel to and 65.00 ft distant from said base line to a point bearing  
 south  $66^{\circ} 55' 00''$  west and 65.03 ft distant from a point on said base line shown on  
 plan as station 76  $\neq$  27.81; thence south  $24^{\circ} 00' 35''$  east for the distance of  
 582.08 ft to a point bearing south  $63^{\circ} 29' 14''$  west and 70.06 ft distant from a  
 point on said base line shown on plan as station 82, 95.51; thence parallel to and  
 70.00 ft distant from said base line to a point bearing north  $40^{\circ} 14' 00''$  east and  
 70.00 ft distant from a point on said base line shown on plan as station 112  $\neq$  32.16;  
 thence by a curve to the left of 621.42 ft radius for the distance of 188.66 ft to  
 a point bearing north  $30^{\circ} 18' 37''$  west and 71.05 ft distant from a point on said base  
 line shown on plan as station 114  $\neq$  10.95; thence parallel to and 70.00 ft distant  
 from said base line to a point bearing north  $20^{\circ} 52' 10''$  west and 70.00 ft distant  
 from a point on said base line shown on plan as station 122  $\neq$  00.00; thence south  
 $64^{\circ} 06' 57''$  west for the distance of 271.66 ft to a point bearing north  $82^{\circ} 28' 38''$   
 west and 97.27 ft distant from a point on said base line shown on plan as station  
 123  $\neq$  85.15; thence by a curve to the left of 978.95 ft radius for the distance of  
 654.26 ft to a point bearing north  $64^{\circ} 10' 35''$  west and 50.00 ft distant from a  
 point on said base line shown on plan as station 130  $\neq$  87.30; thence south  $25^{\circ} 49' 25''$   
 291 west for the distance of 131.64 ft to a point bearing north  $34^{\circ} 33' 47''$  west  
 and 70.46 ft distant from a point on said base line shown on plan as station 132  $\neq$   
 49.103; thence by a curve to the left of 275.92 ft radius for the distance of  
 160.26 ft to a point bearing south  $68^{\circ} 56' 02''$  west and 67.35 ft distant from a  
 point on said base line shown on plan as station 133  $\neq$  21.31; thence south  $5^{\circ} 12' 19''$   
 east for the distance of 272.38 ft to a point bearing south  $37^{\circ} 51' 05''$  west  
 and 66.10 ft distant from a point on said base line shown on plan as station 135  $\neq$   
 67.60; thence by a curve to the left of 1086.53 ft radius for the distance of 234.  
 52 ft to a point bearing south  $72^{\circ} 25' 40''$  west and 50.00 ft distant from a point on  
 said base line shown on plan as station 138  $\neq$  40.00; thence parallel to and 50.00 ft  
 distant from said base line to a point bearing north  $53^{\circ} 15' 25''$  west and 68.46 ft





291 distant from a point on said base line shown on plan as station 151  $\angle$  76.47;  
thence by a curve to the left of 355.46 ft radius for the distance of 349.03 ft to  
a point bearing north  $66^{\circ} 25' 50''$  west and 75.00 ft distant from a point on said  
base line shown on plan as station 155  $\angle$  07.08; thence parallel to and 75.00 ft  
distant from said base line to a point bearing north  $89^{\circ} 50' 20''$  west and 75.00 ft  
distant from a point on said base line shown on plan as station 163.00; thence by  
a curve to the left of 3220.96 ft radius for the distance of 340.25 ft to a point  
bearing south  $84^{\circ} 57' 00''$  west and 72.50 ft distant from a point on said base line  
shown on plan as station 166  $\angle$  33.72; thence south  $50^{\circ} 53' 29''$  east or the distance  
of 399.56 ft to a point bearing north  $73^{\circ} 06' 48''$  west and 64.57 ft distant from a  
292 point on said base line shown on plan as station 170  $\angle$  57.44; thence by a curve to  
the right of 610.75 ft radius for the distance of 237.35 ft to a point bearing  
north  $73^{\circ} 37' 30''$  west and 60.00 ft distant from a point on said base line shown on  
plan as station 172  $\angle$  93.10; thence parallel to and 60.00 ft distant from said base  
line to a point bearing north  $23^{\circ} 47' 50''$  west and 60.00 ft distant from a point on  
said base line shown on plan as station 175  $\angle$  93.81; thence south  $66^{\circ} 12' 10''$  west  
for the distance of 177.90 ft to a point bearing north  $78^{\circ} 11' 29''$  west and 103.06  
ft distant from a point on said base line shown on plan as station 176  $\angle$  87.92;  
thence by a curve to the left of 502.79 ft radius for the distance of 235.62 ft to  
a point bearing north  $50^{\circ} 38' 50''$  west and 80.00 ft distant from a point on said  
base line shown on plan as station 179  $\angle$  72.99; thence parallel to and 80.00 ft  
distant from said base line to a point bearing north  $58^{\circ} 49' 50''$  west and 80.34 ft  
distant from a point on said base line shown on plan as station 185  $\angle$  65.90; thence  
south  $21^{\circ} 23' 42''$  west for the distance of 445.30 ft to a point bearing north  $61^{\circ}$   
 $52' 55''$  west and 45.03 ft distant from a point on said base line shown on plan as  
station 190  $\angle$  04.19; thence parallel to the above described easterly location line  
and 60.00 ft distant therefrom to a point at the end of the layout, about 200 ft  
northerly of the New Boston Inn, said point bearing south  $32^{\circ} 32' 00''$  west and be-  
ing 30.00 ft distant from the point of ending of the above described base line shown  
on plan as station 200  $\angle$  13.76. All as shown on a plan filed with said petition on  
February 19, 1923. Grades are to be in accordance with said plan.

293 The foregoing right of way and location are furnished and laid out at the sug-  
gestion and with the approval of said Department of Public Works, Division of High-  
ways and under and in accordance with the provisions of said Chapter 221 of the Acts  
of 1915.

It is further ordered that damages be, and they hereby are, awarded as follows:

In Otis

To said Luella Cotton, for parcel No. 2, ten dollars

To said Fannie E Whitter, for parcel No. 4, one hundred dollars

To said Edwin W Strickland, for parcels No. 5, No. 12, No. 13 and No. 14 one  
hundred and twenty dollars

To said Harry Waters, for parcels No. 10, No. 11, forty-five dollars

To said Ralph Miner, for parcels No. 16, No. 17 and No. 18, five dollars

To said Lyman Flint, for parcel No. 24 two dollars and fifty cents

To said heirs of John Ondress, deceased, for parcels No. 15, No. 20, and No. 22,  
fifty-five dollars

To said Samuel T Spring for parcels No. 23 and No. 24, fifty dollars

To said Frederick Richardson, for parcels No. 25 and No. 26, seventeen dollars

All as shown on a map of takings filed herewith

In Sandisfield

To said Frederick Richardson, for parcels No. 1 and No. 2, thirty-three dollars

To said Fay V Briesen (alias Brisen) for parcel No. 3, twenty dollars

To said Robert P Ward for parcel No. 4, twenty-five dollars

To said Francis Balch, for parcels No. 5 and No 6, fifty dollars

294 To said Robert P and Horace W Ward for parcels No. 7, No. 8, No. 9 and No. 10,  
one hundred and twenty dollars





294 To said American Brass Company for parcels No. 11, No. 12 and No. 13 sixty dollars  
To said heirs or devisees of Jerome Sage, for parcels No. 14, No. 15, No. 16, No. 17 and No. 18, one hundred dollars.  
To said Abe Cohen, for parcels No. 19, and No. 22, thirteen dollars  
To said Frank S and Lucy L Humphrey for parcels No. 20 and No. 24, two hundred dollars

All as shown on said map of takings.

No damages are awarded to the town of Otis for parcel No. 19, or to said Charles M Robinson for parcels No. 1, No. 3, No. 6, No. 7, No. 8 and No. 9 in the town of Otis and parcels No. 23 and No. 24 in the town of Sandisfield, he having waived the same.

The fifty parcels herein above referred to comprise all the land taken under this order.

It is further ordered that the time allowed to owners for removing trees and structures upon or within said locations shall expire September 1, 1923 and that the damages awarded for land taken in the town of Otis shall be paid by said town of Otis, and that the damages awarded for land taken in the town of Sandisfield shall be paid by said town of Sandisfield.

Frank Howard  
Robert S Tillotson  
John Henderson

County Commissioners of Berkshire County

A true copy:

Attest: Irving H Gammell - Clerk

Edson P Twining      Town Clerk of Sandisfield

295

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Berkshire SS

To Jason Sears Constable of the Town of Sandisfield      Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town qualified to vote in elections and town affairs to meet at the Town Hall, on Monday, the Tenth day of March 1924, at Ten O'clock A M for the following purposes: viz:

- Art 1      To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting  
Art 2      To vote by ballot for Town Officers and terms thereof as follows:  
            One Town Clerk for the term of one year  
            One Town Treasurer for the term of one year  
            Three Selectmen for the term of one year  
            One Assessor for the term of three years  
            One School Committee for the term of three years  
            One School Committee for the term of one year  
            One Library Trustee for the term of three years  
            One Library Trustee for the term of one year  
            Two Constables for the term of one year  
            One Auditor for the term of one year and to vote Yes or No upon  
            the Question: "Shall license be granted for the sale of certain  
            non-intoxicating liquors in this town. All the above named officers  
            and the Question "Yes or No" shall be brought in on one ballot and  
            the ballots will be furnished at the polling place.  
Art 3      To choose all necessary Town Officers not mentioned in Art. 2  
Art 4      To hear the Report of Town Officers and act thereon  
Art 5      To see what method the town will adopt in regard to the collection of  
            Taxes, prescribe the compensation therefor, and pass any vote that may  
            be proper



- 295 Art 6 To see if the town will vote to give the Collector of Taxes the same power that Town Treasurers have when they are Collectors of Taxes
- 296 Art 7 To choose any Committee or Agents for the Town and give them any instructions or authority
- Art 8 To act on the Jury list as presented by the Selectmen
- Art 9 To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary to pay the expenses of the various Departments viz: General Government, Unclassified, Police Department, Health Department, Inspection of Animals, Inspection of Slaughters, Repairs of Highways, Repairs of Bridges, Sign Boards, Opening Roads in Winter, Support of Schools, Insurance under the Workmen's Compensation Act, Charity Department, Public Library, Cemeteries, Interest, Contingent Fund, Forest Fires and for any other purpose that may be necessary
- Art 10 To raise and appropriate the sum of \$621.00 to pay for damages caused to abutting property owners, by the construction of the State Highway on the River Road
- Art 11 To see if the Town will vote to buy bonds for its bonded officers and raise and appropriate money for same
- Art 12 To see if the Town will authorize the Town Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of the revenue of the current financial year
- Art 13 To see if the Town will vote to confirm the action of the Selectmen of the year 1906 in executing and delivering deed of the Caroline Huldah Leonard farm in said Town Rollin Thompson and James D Stow, under date of November 6, 1906, and authorize and instruct this Selectmen this day elected, to execute and deliver confirmatory deed or deeds of said premises to the present owners.
- Art 14 To see if the Town will appoint a Committee to investigate and report to the next annual Town Meeting, the feasibility of establishing a Town forest, under the provisions of Chapter 45, of the General Laws and Amendments thereto.
- 297 Art 15 To see if the Town will vote to close the road from the North Beech Plain road to Otis line near the Robinson place, known as the Isaac Norton Road
- Art 16 To see if the town will vote to build a new Bridge over Buck River near the Falls, and raise and appropriate money for same
- The Polls will be opened at Ten A M and may be closed at Three P M and you are directed to serve this warrant by posting true and attested copies thereof in three public places within the Town of Sandisfield, seven days at least before the time of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at or before the time of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands at Sandisfield this Twenty Seventh Day of February A D 1924

Thomas Fox ) Selectmen  
Charles D Strickland ) of  
Howard Spring ) Sandisfield

Berkshire SS

Sandisfield Mass. March 1st 1924

By virtue of this the within warrant I have served the same by posting true attest copies thereof in three public places in said Town, One on the Town Hall, one in the Post Office New Boston and one in the Post Office of South Sandisfield, Seven days before the time of said meeting

Jason Sears, Constable  
Town of Sandisfield

Attest

Edson P Twining Town Clerk





## Town Meeting March 10th 1924

Meeting called to order and warrant read by Edson P Twining - Town Clerk  
Appointed for Ballot Clerks and took their oath

Orlo C Twining & Dennis O'Brien

Article 1 Wesley E Deming was chosen Moderator

Polls opened at 10:30 o'clock A M

- " 2 To vote by ballot for Town Officers
- " 3 Voted to pass over this and leave it to the Selectmen to appoint
- " 4 Voted to accept the report of the Town Officers
- " 5 Voted to have all taxes paid to Treasurer & that all taxes remaining unpaid after Oct 15th 1924, to charge 9% interest until paid & must be paid by the close of the year 1924
- " 6 Covered by preceding Article
- " 7 Edson P Twining was chosen Town Agent
- " 8 Voted to accept the Jury List as presented by the Selectmen
- " 9 Voted to appropriate for General Government \$800.  
     " " " " Unclassified Accounts 200  
     No appropriation for Police Department  
     " " " Health "  
     Voted to appropriate for Inspection of Animals 25.  
     " " " " of Slaughters 200  
     " " " " Highways 2000  
     " " " " Repair of Bridges 1500  
     " " " " Sign Boards & red lights 150  
     " " " " Opening roads in winter 250  
     " " " " Schools 6000  
     " place the Insurance under workmen's Compensation  
     - act. with the Unclassified accounts  
     Voted to appropriate for Charity 800  
     Voted to pass over Public Library  
     " " " Interest Item  
     " no appropriate for Forest Fired  
     Voted to appropriate for Cemeteries 50  
     Art 10 Voted to appropriate for damages to property on River  
     Road - land taken for state road \$621  
     " 11 " " " " " bonds for Town Officers 50  
     " 12 " to Authorize the Town Treasurer with the approval of the  
     Selectmen to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the  
     revenue of the current financial year ending Dec 31, 1924 and not  
     to exceed Four thousand dollars, \$4000.  
     " 13 Voted to leave it with the Selectmen to do as they may deem proper  
     in confirming the action of the Selectmen of 1906 in delivering  
     deed of the Caroline Huldah Leonard farm to Rollin Thompson and  
     James D Stow under date of November 6th 1906  
     " 14 Voted to pass over this Art. at present  
     " 15 Voted to close the road from the North Beach Plain road to the Otis  
     line near the Robinson Place, Known as the Isaach Norton road  
     " 16 Voted to appropriate for building new iron Bridge near falls on  
     Buck River - \$2500.

Voted to close the Polls at 3 o'clock

## List of Jurors for 1924

John B Kimberley	Samuel Steinberg	Alfred Snow	Howard Hyde
Sherman L Clark	Edson P Twining	Frank E Hawley	Dennis O'Brien



## Committee of Cemeteries

No 1 Wallace Whitney  
 No 2 Wesley E Deming  
 No 3 George Lain  
 No 4 Frank Wuori  
 No 5 James Roberts  
 No 6 Frank Waters

## Field Drivers

James Clark West New Boston  
 Charles Cronk West St  
 Samuel Steinberg Town Hill  
 Gustave Riiska South Sandisfield

## Pound Keeper

Wesley E Deming

## Fence Viewers

Frank E Hawley  
 Frederick P Whitney  
 Alfred Mull

## Care of Town Hall

Dennis O'Brien

## Surveyors of Lumber

Chas D Strickland  
 Rufus Fargo  
 Thomas Fox Deceased

## Fire Warden

Charles D Strickland

## Inspectors of Slaughters

Rufus Fargo  
 Wesley E Deming

## Inspector of Animals

Joseph O'Brien

## Game Warden

Clarance Crocker

Attest Edson P Twining Town Clerk

302 Polls closed at 3 o'clock P M  
 Ballots counted and the following is a true list of all votes cast, there being  
 Sixty three

For Town Clerk for one year

Edson P Twining	Forty seven	47	Votes
Blanks	Sixteen	16	Blanks

For Town Treasurer for one year

Thomas Fox	Fifty two	52	Votes
Blanks	Eleven	11	Blanks





302	For Selectmen, For one year			
	Thomas Fox	Forty-three	43	Votes
	Blanks		20	Blanks
	Charles D Strickland	Thirty-one	31	Votes
	Blanks		32	Blanks
	Howard Spring	Seventeen	17	Votes
	Blanks		46	Blanks
	Jason Sears	Thirty	30	Votes
	Blanks		33	Blanks
	Charles G Twining	Twenty-two	22	Votes
	Blanks		41	Blanks
	Frederick P Whitney	Thirty-nine	39	Votes
	Blanks		24	Blanks
	Assessor for Three years			
	Jason Sears	Fifty four	54	Votes
	Blanks	Nine	9	Blanks
	School Committee for Three years			
	Ada Rowley	Forty three	43	Votes
	Blank	Twenty	20	Blanks
	School Committee for one year			
	Jason Sears	Forty eight	48	Votes
	Blanks	Fifteen	15	Blanks
	Library Trustee for Three years			
	Frank E Hawley	Thirty	30	Votes
	Blanks		33	Blanks
	Edson P Twining	Twenty five	25	Votes
	Blanks	Thirty eight	38	Blanks
	Library Trustee for one year			
	Alford Rowley	Forty	40	Votes
	Blanks	Thirty three	33	Blanks
303	Constables for one year			
	Clarence Crocker	Thirty four	34	Votes
	Blanks	Twenty seven	27	Blanks
	Alfred Carter	Fourteen	14	Votes
	Blanks	Forty nine	49	Blanks
	J B Kimberly	Sixteen	16	Votes
	Blanks	Forty seven	47	Blanks
	Jason Sears	Forty one	41	Votes
	Blanks	Twenty two	22	Blanks
	Auditor for one year			
	Gertrude S Mackay	Twenty six	26	Votes
	Blanks	Thirty seven	37	Blanks
	Lillian E Deming	Thirty two	32	Votes
	Blanks	Thirty one	31	Blanks
	License Question			
	Yes	Twenty six	26	Votes
	No	Fifteen	15	Votes
	Blanks	Twenty two	22	Blanks



303 Voted to adjourn this meeting "Sine die"

Attest Edson P Twining, Town Clerk

304 (Blank)

305 April 14, 1924, Sandisfield, Mass

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Berkshire SS

To Clarence Crocker Constable of the Town of Sandisfield Greeting

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town qualified to vote in election and Town affairs to meet at the Town Hall on Monday the Fourteenth day of April 1924 at Ten O'clock A M for the following purposes viz. - To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting, To vote by ballot for Town Officers and terms thereof as follows, One Town Treasurer for the term of one year, One Selectman for the term of one year

The polls will be opened at Ten O'Clock A M and may be closed at Three O'clock P M, and you are directed to serve this warrant by posting true and attested copies thereof in three public places within the Town of Sandisfield, Seven days at least before time of holding said meeting. Hereof fail not, and make due return of this warrant with doings thereon to the Town Clerk at or before the time of holding said meeting. Given under our hands at Sandisfield the Fifth day of April 1924

Frederick P Whitney) Selectmen of  
C D Strickland ) Sandisfield

A true copy attest  
Clarence Crocker, Constable  
April 7th 1924

306 Berkshire SS

Sandisfield April 7th 1924

By virtue of this the within warrant I have served the same by posting true and attested copies thereof in three public place in said Town, One on Town Hall. one in Post Office at New Boston, one in the Post Office at South Sandisfield, Seven days before the time of said meeting

Clarence Crocker, Constable  
Town of Sandisfield

Attest Edson P Twining  
Town Clerk

Polls closed at 3 O'clock and Ballots counted with the following results

For Treasurer for one year	Frederick P Whitney	Twenty six votes	
" " " "	Blanks	Twelve	
" " " "	Wesley E Deming	Twelve	votes
" " " "	Blanks	Twenty six	
For Selectman for one year	Jason Sears	Thirty seven votes	(37)
" " " "	Blanks	one	(1)

Whole number of Ballots cast Thirty eight (38)

Voted to adjourn without date

Edson P Twining, Town Clerk





## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Berkshire SS

April 19, 1924

To either of the Constables of the Town of Sandisfield Greeting: In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town who are qualified to vote in Primaries to meet in the Town Hall Tuesday, the Twenty-ninth day of April, 1924 at One OoClock P M for the following purposes: To bring in their vote to the Primary Officers for the election of Candidates of Delegates at Large to the National Convention of the Republican Party & Alternate Delegates at Large to the National Convention of the Republican Party, 8 Delegates at Large to the National Convention of the Democratic Party, 8 Alternate Delegates at Large to the National Convention of the Democratic Party, 2 District Delegates to the National Convention of the Republican Party - Congressional Dist. 2 Alternate District Delegates to the National Convention of the Republican Party ----- Congressional Dist. 4 District Delegates to the National Convention of the Democratic Party - Congressional Dist. 4 Alternate District Delegates to the National Convention of the Democratic Party - Congressional Dist.

The polls will be open from One P M to Three P M

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof within Seven days at least before the time of said meeting as directed by vote of the town.

309 Hereof fail not and make return of this warrant with your doings thereon at the time and place of said meeting. Given under our hands this nineteenth day of April A.D. 1924

F B Whitney ) Selectmen  
C D Strickland) of  
Jason Sears ) Sandisfield

A true copy Attest

Clarence Crocker Constable

April 2nd April 1924

Polls closed at 3 o'clock and Ballots counted with following results

Delegates at large to Republican National convention for President &  
Vice President

Channing H Cox	Votes	8
Henry Cabot Lodge	"	7
Fredrick H Gillett	"	9
Wm M Butler	"	7
John H Sherburne	"	8
Anna C Bird	"	7
Jessie A Hall	"	8

Alternate Delegates at large

Pauline R Thayer	Votes	8
Elizabeth Putnam	"	8
Charles H Innes	"	7
John Jacob Rogers	"	7
Robert M Stevens	"	8
Mary B Boorone	"	8
Spencer Borden Jr	"	8

District Delegates, First District

John H Waterhouse	Votes	8
William F Whiting	"	8



## Alternate District Delegates

John B Hull	Votes	8
Mary Prate Potter	"	5

Attest

Edson P Twining  
Town Clerk

310 To The Honorable Board of Selectmen

Town of Sandisfield

Respectfully represents Arthur Del Nero, of Otis Berkshire County Massachusetts and Thomas Bascetti of Winsted, Connecticut Co-partners doing business under the firm name of "Pittsfield - Winsted Auto Company" of said Otis that said company is desirous of establishing an automobile passenger transportation line between Pittsfield and Winsted, in compliance with the Gen. Laws of Mass. Chap. 159, Sec. 45 - 49. Said company prays your Honorable Board to grant it a license under above laws, to carry passengers through your town over the most direct main highways, in accordance with suchrules, orders and regulations as your Honorable Board may see fit to impose. Your petitioners expects to start business using two seven passenger touring cars.

Dated this 8th day of May, 1924

Pittsfield - Winsted Auto Company  
By Arthur Del Nero  
Bascetta

Allowed

Charles D Strickland  
Jason Sears

A true copy attest

Edson P Twining Town Clerk

311

## Commonwealth of Massachusetts

To either of the Constables of the Town of Sandisfield Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town, who are qualified to vote in Primaries to meet in the Town Hall, Tuesday the ninth dau of September 1924 at one o'clock P M for the following purposes:

To bring in their votes to the Primaries Officers for the nomination of Candidates of Political Parties for the following Offices

Governor	For this Commonwealth
Lieutenant Gov.	" " "
Secretary	" " "
Treasurer & Receiver General	" " "
Auditor	" " "
Attorney General	" " "
Senator in Congress	For this Congressional District
Representative "	" " " "
Councillor	" " Councillor "
Senator	" " Senatorial "
Representative in General Court	" Representative District
County Com. (2)	For this County
Register of Probate & Insolvency	" "
County Treasurer	" " "
State Com. for Berk. Hampshire & Hampden	





Delegates to State Convention from Sandisfield  
 Members of Republican Town Comm.  
 " " Democratic " "

All the above candidates & Officers to be voted for upon one ballot

The Polls will be open from one o'clock P M to Three o'clock P M

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof at least seven days before the time of said meeting.

Hereof fail not and make returns of this warrant with your doings thereon at the time & place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this First day of Sept 1924

	Frederick P Whitney	) Selectmen
	Charles D. Strickland	) of
A true Copy, Clarence Crocker Constable	Jason Sears	) Sandisfield

Attest. Edson P Twining, Town Clerk. Sept 10th 1924

State Primaries, Sandisfield, Sept 9th 1924

Meeting called to order and warrant read by Edson P Twining, Town Clerk

Ballot Clerks) Wesley E Deming  
 ) Dennis O'Brien

Polls were opened at 1 o'clock P M and seven ballots cast as follows:

Governor		
Alvan T Fuller	Four	4
James Jackson	One	1
James M Curley	Two	2

Lieutenant Governor		
John J Cummings	One	1
William A O'Hearn	One	1
Frank G Allen	Five	5

Secretary		
Frederick W Cook	Six	6
H Oscar Rocheleau	One	1

Treasurer		
Michael L Eisner	One	1
Otis Allen	Three	3
William Allen	One	1
William S Youngman	One	1

Auditor		
Herbert W Burr	One	1
Alonzo B Cook	Three	3
Harold D Wilson	Two	2

Attorney General		
Jay R Benton	Five	5
John E Swift	Two	2



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## Senator in Congress

David I Walsh	Two	2
Louis A Coolidge	One	1
Fredrick W Dallinger	Three	3
Fredrick H Gillett	One	1

## Congressman

Allen T Treadway	Six	6
Thomas F Cassidy	One	1

## Councillor

Francis H Aldrich	Five	5
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## Senator Berk. Hampden &amp; Hampshire

Dexter A Snow	Six	6
DeWitt C DeWolf	One	1

## Representative in General Court

William L DuBois	Five	5
William H Hefferman	Two	2

## County Commissioners

Frank Howard	Seven	7
Robert S Tillotson	Seven	7

## Register of Probate &amp; Insolvency

Arthur M Robinson	Five	5
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## County Treasurer

William Martin	Seven	7
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## State Committee - B. H. &amp; Hampden

Fredrick S Delafield	Six	6
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## Delegates to State Convention from Sandisfield

Fredrick P Whitney	Seven	7
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## Republican Town Comm.

Wesley E Deming	Five	5
Resigned Edson P Twining appointed to fill vacancy		
Jason Sears	Five	5

## Democrat Town Comm.

Charles D Strickland	Two	2
Dennis O'Brien	"	2
Howard Spring	One	1

Polls were closed at 3 o'clock P M

Voted to adjourn without date

Attest. Edson P Twining  
Town Clerk

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
Berkshire SS

To Clarence Crocker Constable of the Town of Sandisfield  
Greeting -

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town qualified to vote in elections, to meet at the Town Hall in said Town on Tuesday the fourth day of November 1924 at 10 o'clock A M for the following purposes. Viz.

To bring in their votes to the Election Officers of said Town, For Presidential Electors, Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Secetary, Treasurer and Receiver General, Auditor, Attorney General, Congressman for the first Congressional District, Councillor for the eight District, Senator for the Berkshire, Hampshire & Hampden Senatorial District, Representative in General Court for Berkshire County, one County Commissioner for Berkshire County, one associate County Comm. for Berkshire County, One sheriff for Berkshire County.

Also to bring their votes for or against  
Referendum Question No. 1 Amendment to the Constitution  
" " " 2 " " " "  
" " " 3 " " " "  
" " " 4 " " " "  
" " " 5 " " " "  
" " " 6 " " " "  
" " " 7 " " " "

All of the above officers & questions to be voted for on one ballot. The Ballots will be furnished by the Election Officers at the Polls. The Polls will be opened at 10 o'clock A M and may be closed at 3 o'clock P M.

Hereof fail not and make due returns with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at or before the time of said meeting

Given under our hands & seal this 36th of Oct 1924

Frederick P Whitney ) Selectmen  
Charles D Strickland ) of  
Jason Sears ) Sandisfield

Sandisfield, Oct. 26th 1924

Clarence Crocker, Constable

Attest Edson P Twining

Town Clerk

State Election also National  
Sandisfield November 4th 1924

Meeting called to order and warrant read by Edson P Twining Town Clerk

Ballot Clerks Orlo C Twining & Dennis O'Brien

Polls were opened at 10 o'clock A M and Eighty one ballots were cast with the following results.

For President & Vice President

Eleven Ballots thrown out, marked wrong, only for Pres & V

Coolidge & Daws	Fifty one	(51)	Blanks	(19)
David & Bryan	Thirty two	(32)	"	(48)
Foster & Giltoro	None	(0)	"	(70)
Johns & Reynolds	One	(1)	"	(69)
LaFollette & Wheeler	Four	(4)	"	(66)

For Governor

John J Ballam	Five	(5)	Blank	76
James M Curley	Eighteen	(18)	"	63
Alvan T Fuller	Thirty nine	(39)	"	42



James Hayes	Two	( 2)	Blank	79
Walter Hulstrons	None	( 0)	"	81

## For Lieutenant Governor

Frank G Allen	Forty one	(41)	"	40
John J Cummings	Nine	( 9)	"	72
Arthur Cumming	None	( 0)	"	81
Thomas Nicholson	One	( 1)	"	80
Edward Rand Stevens	Three	( 3)	"	78

## For Secretary of the Commonwealth

Frederick Cook	Thirty nine	(39)	Blank	42
Winfield A Dwyer	Two	( 2)	"	79
Samuel Leger	Three	( 3)	"	78
H Oscar Rocheleau	Eight	( 8)	"	73
Edith Williams	Two	( 2)	"	79

## For Treasurer

Michael L Eisner	Twelve	(12)	Blanks	69
Patrick H Loftus	Two	( 2)	"	79
Louis Marcus	Six	( 6)	"	75
Albert Oddie	Three	( 3)	"	78
William S Youngman	Twenty nine	(29)	"	52

## For Auditor

Strabo V Claggett	Thirteen	(13)	Blanks	68
Alonzo B Cook	Thirty	(30)	"	51
Isidore Harris	None	( 0)	"	81
James J Lacey	None	( 0)	"	81
Dennis F Reagan	Three	( 3)	"	78

## For Attorney General

Jay R Benton	Forty two	(42)	Blanks	39
Harry J Carter	None	( 0)	"	81
Fredrick Oelcher	None	( 0)	"	81
John Weaver Sherman	Four	( 4)	"	77
John E Swift	Nine	( 9)	"	72

## Senator in Congress

Fredrick H Gillett	Twenty seven	(27)	Blanks	54
Antoinette F Konikow	Ten	(10)	"	71
David I Walsh	Fifteen	(15)	"	66

## Congressman First District

Thomas F Cassidy	Fourteen	(14)	Blanks	67
Allen T Treadway	Fifty one	(51)	"	30

## Councillor Eighth District

Francis W Aldrich	Forty three	(43)	Blank	38
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## Senator, Berkshire, Hampshire &amp; Hampden District

DeWill C DeWolf	Fourteen	(14)	Blanks	67
Dexter A Snow	Forty	(40)	"	41

## Representative in General Court, Sixth Berk. District





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Representative in General Court, Sixth Berk District  
 Wm L DuBois Forty four (44) Blanks 37  
 William H Hefferman Eleven (11) " 70

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County Commissioner, Berkshire  
 Frank Howard Forty Three (43) Blanks 38  
 Robert S Tillotson Thirty three (33) " 48

Register of Probate & Insolvency  
 Arthur M Robinson Forty six (46) Blank 35

County Treasurer, Berkshire  
 William P Martin Forty three (43) Blanks 38  
 John S Whistter Thirteen (13) " 68

Referendum No. 1 Amendment to Constitution  
 Yes Seventeen (17)  
 No Twenty (20)

" No. 2 Amendment to Constitution  
 Yes Twenty six (26)  
 No Ten (10)

" No. 3  
 Yes Twenty three (23)  
 No Nineteen (19)

" No. 4  
 Yes Nineteen (19)  
 No Eighteen (18)

" No. 5  
 Yes Sixteen (16)  
 No Nine ( 9)

" No. 6  
 Yes Seven ( 7)  
 No Thirty six (36)

" No. 7  
 Yes Twenty two (22)  
 No Thirty four (34)

Voted to close the Polls at 3 o'clock P M

Voted to adjourn this meeting without date

Attest Edson P Twining Town Clerk

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Resignation, New Boston, Feb 20, 1925  
 To the Selectmen of Sandisfield

I wish to resign as member of the Republican Town Committee, elected at the  
 Primaries Sept 9th 1924

To take affect immediately upon receipt of this notice

Frank Humphrey

Resignation Accepted

Edson P Twining Town Clerk



The Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
Berkshire SS

To Jason Sears Constable of the Town of Sandisfield

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Mass. you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town, qualified to vote in Elections & Town affairs to meet at the Town Hall on Monday the ninth day of March at Ten o'clock A M for the following purposes. Viz.

Art 1 To choose a moderator to preside at said meeting

Art 2 To vote by ballot for the following officers and terms thereof as follows:  
One Town Clerk for one year. One Treasurer for one year. Three Selectmen for the term of one year. One Assessor for the term of three years. One School Committee for three years. Two Constables for the term of one year. One Library Trustee for the term of three years. One Auditor for one year. All the above named Officers shall be brought in on one ballot. And the ballots will be furnished at the polling place

Art 3 To choose the necessary Town Officers not named in Art 2

Art 4 To hear the report of the Town Officers and act thereon

Art 5 To see what compensation the Town will allow the Treasurer for the Collection of taxes

Art 6 To choose any Committee or Agent for the Town & give any instructions or authority that may be necessary

Art 7 To act upon the Jury List as presented by the Selectmen

Art 8 To raise & appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary to pay the expenses of the various Town Departments, viz.  
General Government, Unclassified, Police Department, Health Dept. Inspection of Animals, Inspection of Slaughters, Repair of Highways Repair of Bridges, Opening Roads in winter, The Support of Schools Charity Dept, Public Library, Cemeteries, Interest, Contingent Fund and any other purposes

Art 9 To see if the Town will vote to buy Surety Bonds for the bonded Officers, and to appropriate money for the same

320 Art 10 To see if the Town will authorize the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the Financial year beginning January 1st 1925, and to issue a note or notes therefor payable within one year, any debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the revenue of the said financial year

Art 11 To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to purchase a Cleveland Tractor for road work

Art 12 To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of \$100 to carry out the above Article

Art 13 To see if the Town will appoint a Committee to consider the establishing of a Town Forest, under the provisions of Chapter 152 of the Acts & Resolves of the State Legislation of 1924, and report at some future meeting

The Polls will be opened at Ten o'clock A M and may be closed at Three o'clock P.M.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting true and attested copies in three public places in said Town seven days before the time of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not and of this warrant, with your doings make due returns to the Town Clerk at or before the time of said meeting.

Given under our hands this 28th of Feb. 1925

Fredrick P Whitney) Selectmen  
Jason Sears )





320 Berkshire SS Sandisfield March 1st 1925. By virtue of the within warrant, I have served the same by posting copies of the same in three public places, one in Post Office in New Boston, one in P.O. South Sandisfield and one on the Town Hall, seven days before the time of said meeting

Jason Sears, Constable of the Town of Sandisfield

A true Copy attest

Edson P Twining Town Clerk

321 Town Meeting March 9th 1925  
Meeting called to order and warrant read by Edson P Twining Town Clerk  
O C Twining and Julius Holland were appointed Ballot Clerks and took oath for same

Art 1 Dennis O'Brien was chosen Moderator  
Polls were opened at 10.30 o'clock A.M.  
Art 2 Proceeded to vote by ballot for Town Officers as per ballot  
Art 3 Voted to pass over this art. and take up later  
Art 4 Report of Town Officers heard and accepted  
Art 5 Voted to pay Fredrick P Whitney our Tax Collector for 1924 at the rate of three percent (3%) for collection of same  
Art 6 Edson P Twining was chosen Town Agent. Instructions later  
Art 7 Voted to accept the Jury List as presented by the Selectmen  
  
Art 8 Appropriations for General Government \$ 700.  
" Unclassified accts 280  
" Inspection of Animals 40  
" Inspection of Slaughters 200  
" Roads and Repair of same 1500  
" Repair of Bridges 1000  
" Opening of Roads in winter 500  
" Schools 6000  
" Library, Some from Dog Tax also from  
also from Viets Fund  
" Cemeteries 300  
Voted to leave it with the Selectmen to appoint caretaker for same

Art 9 Voted to pay Bonds for the Bonded Town Officers  
Voted to appropriate for Same 60.

Art 10 Voted to Authorize the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the Financial year beginnign Jan. 1st 1925, and to issue a note or notes therefor payable within one year all debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the revenue of the said financial year. Borrowing limit not to exceed \$3500.

322 Art 11 Voted to authorize the Selectmen to purchase a Tractor for road work.  
A Cleveland thought best

Art 12 Voted to appropriate for purchase of above tractor \$700.

Art 13 Voted to leave the carrying out of this Art. to the Selectmen

Voted to close the Polls at 3.30 o'clock and count the Ballots

The necessary Town Officers not mentioned in Art. 2 were elected as Follows.

#### Field Drivers

Wesley Deming	Raymond Hyde	Alfred Snow	Max Goodman	Alford Rowley
James Clark	Henry Dodd	August Riiska	Clifford Cronk	George Lain



## Fence Viewers

Homer O Curtis  
Frank Hawley  
Jason Sears

## Pound Keeper

Wesley E Deming

## Care of Cemeteries as appointed by Selectmen

No. 1 Wallace Whitney  
No. 2 Selectmen  
No. 3 George Lain  
No. 4 William Hart  
No. 5 James Roberts  
No. 6 Frank Waters

## Care of Town Hall

Dennis O'Brien

## Inspector of Animals

Joseph O'Brien

## Inspector of Slaughters

Joseph O'Brien, Wesley E Deming & Howard Spring

Tree Warden, Henry Dodd

Fire Warden Sherman Clark

Game Warden " "

Sealer of Weights & Measures, Sherman Clark

Census Enumeration, Owen Hartshorn

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Town Officers elected for the year 1925

The following is the result of a count of Ballots cast

No. Ballots 76

## Town Clerk for one year

Edson P Twining	Forty eight	48 Votes
Blanks	Twenty eight	28 Blanks
Julius Holland	Twenty four	24 Votes
Blanks	Fifty two	52 Blanks

## Treasurer for one year

Fredrick P Whitney	Sixty two	62 Votes
Blanks	Fourteen	14 Blanks

## Selectmen for one year

Sherman Clark	Thirty one	31 Votes
Blanks	Forty five	45 Blanks
Henry Dodd	Forty three	43 Votes
Blanks	Thirty three	33 Blanks
Charles D Strickland	Thirty	30 Votes
Blanks	Forty six	46 Blanks
Jason Sears	Forty eight	48 Votes
Blanks	Twenty eight	28 Blanks
Fredrick P Whitney	Fifty four	54 Votes
Blanks	Twenty two	22 Blanks

## Assessor for three years





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Assessor for three years		
Wesley E Deming	Thirty six	36 Votes
Blanks	Forty	40 Blanks
Henry Dodd	Thirty six	36 Votes
Blanks	Forty	40 Blanks

School Committee for three years		
Wesley E Deming	Thirty six	36 Votes
Blanks	Forty	40 Blanks
Alfred Mull	Thirty one	31 Votes
Blanks	Forty five	45 Blanks

Library Trustee for three years		
Lillian E Deming	Thirty eight	38 Votes
Blanks	Thirty eight	38 Blanks
Henry W Strickland	Twenty six	26 Votes
Blanks	Fifty	50 Blanks

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Constables for one year		
Sherman Clark	Thirty six	36 Votes
Blanks	Forty	40 Blanks
Henry Ives	Thirty	30 Votes
Blanks	Forty six	46 Blanks
Max Goodman	Fourteen	14 Votes
Blanks	Sixty two	62 Blanks
Joseph O'Brien	Forty one	41 Votes
Blanks	Thirty five	35 Blanks

Auditor for one year		
Lillian E Deming	Fifty one	51 Votes
Blanks	Twenty five	25 Blanks
Max Goodman	Thirteen	13 Votes
Blanks	Sixty three	63 Blanks

Voted to adjourn "Sine-die"

#### List of Jurors For 1925

Alfred Snow	Sherman Clark	Wesley E Deming
August Riiska	Samuel Steinberg	Howard R Hyde
	Edson P Twining	

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#### Commonwealth of Massachusetts Berkshire SS

To Joseph O'Brien Constable of the Town of Sandisfield  
Greeting -

In the name of the Commonwealth of Mass. you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town qualified to vote in Elections of Town affairs to meet at the Town Hall on Wednesday the 18th day of March 1925 at Ten o'clock A M for the following purposes. viz.

Art 1 To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting  
Art 2 To vote by ballot for Town Officers and term thereof as follows  
One Assessor for three years  
All the names of candidates for said office to be brought in on



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one ballot & will be furnished at the polling place

The polls will be open at 10 o'clock A M and may be closed at 3 o'clock P M  
And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting true and attested  
copies thereof in three public places seven days before the time of holding said  
meeting.

Hereof fail not and of this warrant with your doings thereon make due returns  
to the Town Clerk at or before the time of holding said meeting

Given under our hands at Sandisfield this eleventh day of March A D 1925

Fredrick P Whitney) Selectmen  
Jason Sears ) of  
Henry Dodd ) Sandisfield

I have served this warrant by posting copies of the same in three public places in  
said Town seven days before the time of holding said meeting

Joseph O'Brien, Constable

A true copy attest

Edson P Twining, Town Clerk

Sandisfield March 20th 1925

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Town Meeting March 18th 1925

Meeting called to order & warrant read by the Town Clerk

Meeting opened at 10:30 o'clock

Art 1 Homer O Curtis chosen Moderator

Art 2 Polls opened & proceeded to vote for Town Officers as per warrant

Ballot Clerks Dennis O'Brien Riiska

Polls closed at 3 o'clock and ballots counted with the following results  
Whole number ballots cast Twenty seven (27)

For Assessor for three years	Henry Dodd	Nine	(9) Votes
	" "	Eighteen	(18) Blanks
For Assessor for three years	Wesley E Deming	Eighteen	(18) Votes
	" " "	Nine	(9) Blanks

Voted to adjourn without date

Attest

Edson P Twining, Town Clerk

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Perambulation of the line between Otis and Sandisfield Mass Dec 23rd 1925  
The Selectmen of Otis & Sandisfield have this day perambulated & ran the dividing  
lines between said Towns and have marked the corner stones as required by law.

Arthur W Jones ) Selectmen of  
Nelson W Webster) Otis

Jason Sears) Selectmen of  
Henry Dodd ) Sandisfield

Attest

Edson P Twining  
Town Clerk





Sandisfield Dec 25th 1925

The Selectmen of Sandisfield and Tolland have this day Perambulated and run the dividing lines between said Towns and have marked the corner stones as required by law

Jason Sears - Selectman of Sandisfield

Frank B Deming - Selectman of Tolland

Attest -

Edson P Twining, Town Clerk

Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
Berkshire SS

To Joseph O'Brien, Constable of the Town of Sandisfield

Greeting

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town qualified to vote in Elections of Town affairs to meet at the Town Hall on Monday the eighth day of March next 1926 at ten o'clock A M for the following purposes viz.

Art 1 To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting

Art 2 To vote by ballot for Town Officers and terms thereof as follows

One Town Clerk for one year

One Town Treasurer for the term of one year

Three Selectmen for the term of one year

One Assessor for the term of three years

One School Committee for the term of three years

Two Constables for the term of one year

One Library Trustee for the term of two years

One Library Trustee for the term of three years

One Auditor for the term of one year

All the above named Officers shall be voted for on one ballot and the ballots will be furnished at the polling place -

Art 3 To choose the necessary Officers not mentioned in Art. 2

Art 4 To hear the report of the Town Officers & act thereon

Art 5 To see what compensation the Town will allow the Treasurer for the collection of taxes

Art 6 To act upon the Jury List as presented by the Selectmen

Art 7 To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary to pay the expenses of the various Town departments, Viz.

General Government, Unclassified, Police Department, Health Department  
Inspection of Animals, Inspection of Slaughters, Repair of Highways,  
Repair of Bridges, Opening Roads in winter, Support of Schools, Charity  
Public Library, Cemeteries, Interest, Contingent Funds and any other  
purpose which may be necessary

Art 8 To see if the Town will vote to buy Surety bonds for its bonded Officers and appropriate money for the same

Art 9 To see if the Town will buy a Snow Plow

Art 10 To see if the Town will buy an Adding Machine

Art 11 To see if the Town will appropriate \$300 for Land damages to  
Mrs DuBois

329 Art 12 To see if the town will vote to authorize the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning Jan 1st 1926, and to issue a note or notes therefor payable within one year, any debt or debts incurred under this art. to be paid from the revenue of the said Financial year



329 The Polls will be opened at 10 o'clock A.M. and may be closed at three o'clock P.M.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting true & attested copies of the same in at least three public places in said Town at least seven days before the time of said meeting.

Hereof fail not & of this warrant with your doings thereon make due returns to the Town Clerk at or before the time of holding said meeting

Given under our hands at Sandisfield this eighteenth day of Feb. A.D. 1926

Jason Sears            ) Selectmen  
Fredrick P Whitney)     of  
Henry Dodd            ) Sandisfield

I have served this warrant as directed above

Joseph O'Brien, Constable

A true copy Attest

Edson P Twining, Town Clerk of Sandisfield

March 20th 1926

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Town Meeting March 8th 1926

Meeting called to order & warrant read by Edson P Twining, Clerk  
Dennis O'Brien, Dem, H O Curtis, Rep, were appointed Ballot Clerks

Both took their oaths

Art 2 Polls were opened at 10.30 o'clock A M and proced to vote for  
Town Officers as per Ballots furnished

Art 1 Julius Holland was chosen Moderator

Art 3 Officers chosen not included in Art. 2 on the Ballots

For Care of Cemeteries as chosen by nomination & vote

No. 1 Wallace Whitney, at the Center

No. 2 Dennis O'Brien, West New Boston

No 3 George Snow, River road near new Iron Bridge

No 4 W H Smith, South Sandisfield

No 5 Frederick P Whitney, New Hartford Road

No 6 Frank Waters, North Beach Plain

Field Drivers, Voted that they can furnish own Pound  
Samuel Steinbough, Sherman Clark, Charles Strickland, Joseph O'Brien,  
Frederick P Whitney

## Fence Viewers

Howard Spring, Dennis O'Brien, H O Curtis

## Measurers of Lumber

Frederick Whitney, Howard Spring, Samuel Steinbough

### Tree Warden

Henry Dodd

Town Agent

Charles D Strickland

Art 4 Voted to accept the reports of the Town Officers

Art 5 Voted to allow the Treasurer 3% for collecting Taxes

Art 6 Voted to accept the Jury List as presented by Selectmen

Art 7	Voted to appropriate for General Government	\$1000.
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"	"	"	"	Unclassified Accts	500
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"	"	"	"	Inspection of Animals	100
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Nothing for Police Dept, nor for Health Dept

No appropriation for Slaughter

Voted that no License be granted for Slaughtering unless  
they build a Slaughter

Voted to appropriate for repair & construction of Roads	\$2500
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Voted to appropriate for special repair of road from

B. Plain four corners to S. road Cold Spring

500.

Voted to appropriate for Bridges and repair of same

1200

Voted to appropriate for Opening Roads in Winter

300.

6100

Under

331 Art 7 Voted to open center School and close the S. Sandisfield one

" 7 Voted to appropriate for Schools & rep. of School Houses

\$10000.

" 7 " " " " Chimney for Library

100

" " " " " Cemeteries

200

" 8 " " " " Bonds for Bonded Officers

110

" 9 " " " " Snow Scraper

300

" 10 Not carried or voted down

" 11 Voted to appropriate for Land damages to Mrs Dubois

300

\$11010

6100

\$17110.00

Art 12 Voted to authorize the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the Financial year commencing Jan 1st 1926 and to issue a note or notes therefor payable within one year, any debt or debts incurred under thie vote to be paid from the revenue of the said financial year

Borrowing limit not to exceed \$3500.

Voted to close the Polls & proceed to count the Ballots

Polls closed at 3 o'clock

The following is the result of a count of the Ballots cast: (69 Ballots cast)

Town Clerk for one year

Edson P Twining Fifty nine 59 Votes

Ten 10 Blanks

Treasurer for one year

Frederick P Whitney Thirty five 35 Votes

Thirty four 34 Blanks

Lucy T Humphrey Thirty three 33 Votes

Thirty six 36 Blanks

Selectman for one year

Henry Dodd Fifty 50 Votes

Nineteen 19 Blanks

Wesley E Deming Nine 9 Votes

Sixty 60 Blanks

Frank E Hawley Thirty eight 38 Votes

Thirty one 31 Blanks

Frank Humphrey Twenty nine 29 Votes

Forty 40 Blanks

Jason Sears Twenty seven 27 Votes

Forty two 42 Blanks

Frederick P Whitney Thirty five 35 Votes

Thirty four 34 Blanks

Assessor for three years

Henry J Ives Fourteen 14 Votes

Fifty five 55 Blanks

Edson P Twining Forty seven 47 Votes

Twenty two 22 Blanks



Constables for one year		
Sherman Clark	Fourteen	14 Votes
	Fifty five	55 Blanks
Wesley E Deming	Twenty two	22 Votes
	Forty seven	47 Blanks
Joseph O'Brien	Forty four	44 Votes
	Twenty four	24 Blanks
Charles Curtis	Thirty four	34 Votes
	Thirty five	35 Blanks

Library Trustee for Two years		
Clara P Mull	Thirty eight	38 Votes
	Thirty one	31 Blanks
Henry W Strickland	Twenty one	21 Votes
	Forty eight	48 Blanks

School Committee for Three years		
Lucy T Humphrey	Fifty	50 Votes
	Nineteen	19 Blanks

Library Trustee for Three years		
Mrs Amina Crocker	Thirty five	35 Votes
	Thirty four	34 Blanks
Mrs Lilla B Strickland	Twenty four	24 Votes
	Forty five	45 Blanks

Auditor for one year		
Mrs Nora Dodd	Forty seven	47 Votes
	Twenty two	22 Blanks
Mrs Lucy T Humphrey	Seventeen	17 Votes
	Fifty two	52 Blanks

Voted to adjourn this meeting "Sine die"

Fire Warden - Frank Humphrey, Game Warden  
 Inspector of Animals - Joseph O'Brien  
 Inspection of Slaughters - Joseph O'Brien, Howard Spring and Wm Smith

Attest - Edson P Twining  
 Town Clerk

Commonwealth of Mass. Berk. SS  
 Sandisfield Sept 14th 1926

Greetings

In the name of the Commonwealth of Mass. you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town who are qualified to vote in Primaries to meet in the Town Hall in the town of Sandisfield, Tuesday the fourteenth day (14) Sept 1926 at one o'clock P.M. for the following purposes  
 To bring their votes to the Primary Officers for the nomination of Political Parties for the following Officers. viz.

For Governor for this Commonwealth  
 For Lieutenant Governor for this Commonwealth  
 For Secretary for this Commonwealth  
 For Treasurer & Receiver General for this Commonwealth  
 For Auditor of this Commonwealth





For Attorney General of this Commonwealth  
 For Senator in Congress to fill vacancy  
 For Rep. in Congress Eighth Congressional District  
 For Councillor in Eighth Congressional District  
 For Senator in Eighth Congressional District  
 For Representative in General Court  
 For County Commissioner 1  
 For County Commissioner Associates 2  
 For District Attorney  
 For Sheriff

And for the election of the following Officers

Members of the Republican Town Committee

Members of the Democratic Town Committee

Delegates to State Convention of the Republican Party

Delegates to State Convention of the Democratic Party

All the above candidates & Officers are to be voted for upon one ballot

The Polls will open from One to Three o'clock P.M.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attached copies thereof fourteen days before the time of said meeting. Hereof fail not & make returns of this warrant with your doings thereon at time & place of said meeting. Given under our hands this First day of Sept 1926

Frederick P Whitney) Selectmen  
 Henry Dodd ) of  
 Frank E Hawley ) Sandisfield

A true copy attest

Charles H Curtis, Constable

Sandisfield Sept 1st 1926

Attest, Edson P Twining, Town Clerk of Sandisfield

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State Primaries Election, Sandisfield Sept 14th 1926

Meeting called to order at one o'clock P M warrant read by W N Clark, Town Clerk  
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Ballot Clerks

Polls were opened at one o'clock P.M. and proceeded to ballot for Candidates for Office. Seven ballots were cast as follows

For Governor

Alvin T Fuller	Five	5	votes	Two	Blank
William Gaston	One	1	"	Six	Blank

Lieut Governor

Frank G Allen	Five	5	"	Two	Blank
Harry J Dooley	One	1	"	Six	Blank

Secretary

Frederick W Cook	Four	4	"	Three	"
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Treasurer

Daniel England	Two	2	"	Two	"
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Auditor

Alonzo B Cook	Four	4	"	Three	"
Shabo V Claggett	One	1	"	Six	"

Attor. General

Elija Adllow	Two	2	"	Five	"
John E Swift	One	1	"	Six	"
Arthur Reading	One	1	"	"	"

Senator in Congress

William M Butler	Three	3	"	Four	"
David G Walsh	Two	2	"	Five	"



334	Congressman 1st Dist					
	Allen T Treadway	Four	4	votes	Three	Blank
	Eugene A Lynch	One	1	"	Six	"
	Councillor					
	Francis W Aldrich	Two	2	"	Five	"
	Herman Walker	one	1	"	Six	"
	Senator Berk. Hampsh, Hamp					
	Fosdick Eugene Judd	Five	5	"	Two	"
	Rep in General Court					
	Charles L Post	Two	2	"	Five	"
	Edward Burphy	Two	2	"	Five	"
	Commissioner Berkshire County					
	Charles Champion	Three	3	"	Four	"
	John Henderson	Two	2	"	Five	"
	Associate Co. Com.					
	Leland P Jenks	Three	3	"	Four	"
	James Punderson	Two	2	"	Five	"
	Dist. Attorney					
	Charles Clason	Three	3	"	Four	"
	Josia Dearborn	one	1	"	Six	"
	Herbert Newton Joyner	one	1	"	Six	"
	William Granfield	one	1	"	Six	"
	Sheriff					
	John Nicholson	Five	5	"	Two	"
	County Treasurer					
	Angelina Martin	Four	4	"	Three	"
	John Whistler	one	1	"	Six	"
335	Reg. of Probate & Insolv					
	Earl D Gelman	one	1	"	Six	"
	William S Morton	Two	2	"	Five	"
	Delegate to State Convention					
	Fredrick P Whitney	Three	3	"	Four	"
	Republican Town Committee					
	Frank E Hawley	Two	2	"	Five	"
	Jason Sears	one	1	"	Six	"

Polls were closed at Three o'clock P M

Attest - Edson P Twining, Town Clerk

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State Election, Nov. 2nd 1926  
Commonwealth of Massachusetts

To Joseph O'Brien, Constable of the Town of Sandisfield - Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Mass. you are herebe required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town, who are qualified to vote in state and county elections to meet in the town hall on Tuesday the second day of November 1926, at ten o'clock A.M. for the following purposes.

To bring in their votes to the Election Officers of said Town for Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Secretary, Treasurer and receiver General, Auditor, Attorney General, Congressman 1st District, Senator in Congress to fill vacancy, Councillor Eighth Dist., Senator for Berk. Hampden & Hampshire District, Representative in general Court 5th District, County Comm. Berk. Co., Associate Comm. Berk. Co. District, County Treasurer to fill vacancy, Reg. of Probate & Insolvency Berk. Co. to fill vacancy, Sheriff Berk. County. Also to vote yes or no on question 1 & 2 as found on your ballots





336 All of the above Officers & questions to be voted for on one ballot, the same to be furnished by the Ballot Officers at the Polls, which will be opened at Ten o'clock P M and may be closed at Three o'clock P M. Hereof fail not & due returns make of your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at or before the time of said meeting

Given under our hand this 25th day of October 1926

Frederick P Whitney) Selectmen  
Henry Dodd ) of  
Frank E Hawley ) Sandisfield

Sandisfield Oct 25th 1926

Joseph O'Brien, Constable

Attest

Edson P Twining Town Clerk

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State Election, Nov. 2nd 1926

Sandisfield, November 2nd 1926

Meeting called to order & warrant read by Edson P Twining, Town Clerk

Ballot Clerks Wesley E Deming & Dennis O'Brien

Polls were opened at 10:30 o'clock A.M. Proceed to ballot

The following were the results after counting the forty five ballots (45) that were cast

Governor

Alvan T Fuller	Twenty six	Votes	Nineteen	Blanks
William Gaston	Sixteen	"	Twenty nine	"
Walter Hustchins	Two	"	Two	"
Lewis Marks	One	"	Forty four	"

Lieut. Governor

Frank G Allen	Twenty three	"	Twenty two	"
Daniel Blessington	Two	"	Forty three	"
Albert Oddie	One	"	Forty four	"
Edward Talbot	Fourteen	"	Thirty one	"

Secretary

Harry J Canter	One	"	Forty four	"
Frank Cavanaugh	Fifteen	"	Thirty	"
Fredrick W Cook	Twenty three	"	Twenty two	"
Stephen Suinde	One	"	Forty four	"
Edith M Williams	One	"	Forty four	"

Treasurer

Albert S Coolidge	Five	"	Forty	"
Winfield Dwyer	One	"	Forty four	"
Daniel England	Twenty	"	Twenty five	"
William Youngman	Seventeen	"	Twenty eight	"

Auditor

Leon Arkin	One	"	Forty four	"
Strabo Glaggett	Fourteen	"	Thirty one	"
Alonzo B Cook	Twenty one	"	Twenty four	"
Emma Hutchins	Three	"	Forty two	"
John McKinnson	One	"	Forty four	"

Att. General

Isadore Harris	One	"	Forty four	"
Max Lerner	Three	"	Forty two	"
Arthur Reading	Nineteen	"	Forty two	"
John Weaver Sherman	One	"	Forty four	"
John F Swift	Sixteen	"	Twenty nine	"

Congressman First Dist.

Eugene A Lynch	Fourteen	"	Thirty one	"
Allen T Treadway	Twenty six	"	Nineteen	"



Senator in Congress		Votes		Blanks
John J Ballam	Three		Forty two	
William M Butler	Twenty	"	Twenty five	"
Washington Cook	one	"	Forty four	"
David I Walsh	Seventeen	"	Twenty eight	"
Councillor				
Francis Aldrich	Thirty	"	Fifteen	"
Rep. General Court				
William L DuBois	Twenty	"	Twenty five	"
Charles L Post	Twenty one	"	Twenty four	"
Senator Berk. Hampden & Hamps dist				
Fredrick Eugene Judd	Thirty	"	Fifteen	"
County Com.				
John Henderson	Thirty four	"	Eleven	"
Associate County Com.				
Leeland P Jenks	Twenty one	"	Twenty four	"
James Punderson	Twenty eight	"	Seventeen	"
Dist Attorney				
Charles R Clason	Twenty	"	Twenty five	"
William Granfield	Seventeen	"	Twenty eight	"
Sheriff				
John Nicholson	Thirty three	"	Twelve	"
Co. Treasurer				
Angeline S Martin	Twenty four	"	Twenty one	"
William S. Whistler	Sixteen	"	Twenty nine	"
Reg. Probate & Ins.				
Earle D GGoodman	Fifteen	"	Thirty	"
William S Morton	Twenty three	"	Twenty two	"
Question No. 1				
Yes	Twenty	"	Twenty five	"
No	Eleven	"	Thirty four	"
Question No. 2				
Yes	Twelve	"	Thirty three	"
No	Twenty two	"	Twenty three	"

Voted to close the Polls at 3:30 o'clock P M

Voted to adjourn this meeting without date

Attest

Edson P Twining, Town Clerk

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Town Meeting March 7th 1927

Meeting called to order and warrant read by Jason Sears Clerk

Dennis O'Brien, Samuel Wilber Rep were appointed Ballot Clerks

Both took their oaths

Polls were open at 10:30 o'clock A M. Proceed to vote Town officers as per ballot furnished

Art 1 Owen Hartshorn was chosen Moderator

Art 2 Voted to accept the Town reports

Art 3 Voted to accept the Jury list all but Charles D Strickland





340	Art 4	A vote to not have the Treasurer and Tax Collector together	
	Art 5	A vote to buy Bonds for the Town Officers	\$150.00
	Art 6	A vote Bids put in box for the collecting of Taxes	
	Art 7	A vote to raise for the Otis Fire Department	\$500.00
	Art 8	A vote to raise for General Government	\$1200.00
	Art 9	A vote to raise for Unclassified for Slaughter & Inspection of Animals	\$200.00
	Art 10	A vote to raise for Highways or Roads	\$1500.00
	Art 11	A vote to raise for Bridges	\$1500.00
	Art 12	A vote to raise for Opening roads in winter the sum of	\$1200.00
	Art 13	A vote to raise for Schools	\$10000.00
	Art 14	A vote to raise for Repair of Schools the sum of	\$1000.00
	Art 15	A vote toraise for Insurance for Workmen on roads Summer & Winter	\$350.00
	Art 16	Nothing for Charity	
	Art 17	Nothing for Library	
	Art 18	A vote to buy Flags for the old Soldiers the sum of	\$15.00
	Art 19	Contingent fund Passed	
	Art 20	A vote for the Selectmen to borrow from time to time as they see fit in anticipation from revenue of the financial year	
	Art 21	A vote for Mrs Joseph Lavine not to pay any tax from 1925 to 1928	
	Art 22	A vote to raise and pay for the Snow plow the sum of	\$280.00
	Art 23	A vote to raise for the South Sandisfield Road Chapter 90	\$1000.00
	Art 24	A vote to raise for the Montville Road Chapter 90	\$1000.00
	Art 25	A vote to raise for the Elmer Flat the road near West Otis line Chapter 90	\$500.00
	Art 26	A vote to pay John Avery & Sons for Flanks bought in 1923	\$625.00
	Art 27	A vote Not to change the date of Town Meeting	
	Art 28	A vote to choose Frederick P Whitney for Town Agent	
	Art 29	A vote to build two Toilets one for Men & one Women for	\$200.00
	Art 30	A vote to let the Taxes to Lea Goodman to collect for 2½ percent	
		Total in all	\$21220.00

341	Cemetery at South Sandisfield	IN CHARGE OF	William Smith
	" " Beach Plain	" "	Frank Waters
	" " New Boston	" "	Henry J Ives
	" " Sandisfield Center	" "	Samuel Wilber
	" " New Hartford Road	" "	Frederick P Whitney
	" " South near Lains	" "	George Lain

#### Fence Viewers

Frederick P Whitney  
Frank E Hawley  
Howard Spring

#### Field Drivers

South Sandisfield      Frederick P Whitney  
New Boston              Sherman Clerk  
Town Hill                Birt Kimbley

Meeting closed at 3 P M

Ballots Counted by Samuel Wilber  
Frederick P Whitney  
Frank E Hawley  
Henry Dodd  
Owen Hartshorn



341 Eighty four Ballots Counted Jason Sears - Clerk Assistant for Edson P Twining

Town Clerk for one year		
Jason Sears	Votes	69
	Blanks	<u>15</u>
		84

Town Treasurer for one year		
Lea Goodman	Votes	12
	Blanks	<u>72</u>
		84

Allen Clark	Votes	67
	Blanks	<u>17</u>
		84

Selectmen for one year		
Henry Dodd	Votes	67
	Blanks	<u>17</u>
		84

Charles Strickland	Votes	33
	Blanks	<u>51</u>
		84

Frank E Hawley	Votes	46
	Blanks	<u>38</u>
		84

342 Frederick P Whitney	Votes	43
	Blanks	<u>41</u>
		84

Jason Sears	Votes	44
	Blanks	<u>40</u>
		84

Homer Curtis	Votes	20
	Blanks	<u>64</u>
		84

Assessor for Three Years		
Harry Rogers	Votes	49
	Blanks	<u>35</u>
		84

Homer Curtis	Votes	42
	Blanks	<u>42</u>
		84

School Committee for Three years		
Ada Rowley	Votes	68
	Blanks	<u>16</u>
		84

Library Trustee for Three years		
Henry W Strickland	Votes	31
	Blanks	<u>53</u>
		84

Lillie Deming	Votes	48
	Blanks	<u>36</u>
		84

Constable for One Year		
Joseph O'Brien	Votes	49
	Blanks	<u>35</u>
		84

Harry Rogers	Votes	34
	Blanks	<u>50</u>
		84





342	Charles Curtis	Votes	31
		Blanks	<u>50</u>
			81
	Allen Clark	Votes	29
		Blanks	<u>55</u>
			84
	Auditor for One year		
	Aminia Crocker	Votes	34
		Blanks	<u>50</u>
			84
	Charlotte B Whitney	Votes	41
		Blanks	<u>43</u>
			84
		Attest	
		Jason Sears Town Clerk	

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343 The Selectmen Organized March 10th 1927  
 Henry Dodd Chairman  
 Henry Dodd Superintendent of Roads

Inspection of Slaughters Joseph O'Brien  
 Alfred Mull  
 Howard Spring

Tree Warden Henry Dodd

Fire Warden Frank Humphrey

Sealer of Weights and Measures Allen Clark

Inspector of Animals Joseph O'Brien

March 15 1927 Henry Dodd )  
 Frank E Hawley) Selectmen of Sandisfield  
 Jason Sears )

List of Jurors for 1927 Wesley E Deming  
 August Riiska  
 Harry Rogers  
 Homer Curtis  
 Max Goodman  
 William Smith

Attest Jason Sears  
 Town Clerk

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Town of Sandisfield Town Warrant March 7th 1927  
 Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
 Berkshire SS

To Joseph O'Brien Constable of the Town of Sandisfield

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town of Sandisfield qualified to vote in Elections and Town affairs to meet at the Town Hall on Monday the seventh day of March 1927 at ten o'clock A M for the following purposes



- 344 Art 1 To choose a Moderator for said meeting  
 Art 2 To vote by ballot for Town officers and terms thereof as follows. One Town Clerk for the term of one year, Three Selectmen for the term of one year, One assessor for the term of three years, Two Constables for the term of one year. One School Committee for the term of three years, One auditor for the term of one year. All the above named officers shall be brought in on one ballot and the ballots will be furnished at the polling place
- Art 3 To choose all the necessary Town Officers not mentioned in Article two  
 Art 4 To hear the report of the Town Officers and act thereon  
 Art 5 To see what compensation will be alloed the Treasurer for the collection of taxes and to pass any vote that may be necessary in relation thereto  
 Art 6 To choose any committee or Agents for the Town and to give them instructions and authority  
 Art 7 To act upon the Jury list as presented by the Selectmen  
 Art 8 To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary to pay the expenses of the various Town Departments. General Government, Unclassified, Health Department, Inspection of Animalls, Inspection of Slaughter, Repair of Highways, Repair of Bridges, Opening Roads in winter Support of Schools, Insurance under Workmens Compensation act, Charity, Public Library, Cemeteries, Interest, Contingent Fund, and for any other purposes that may be necessary
- Art 9 To see if the Town will vote to buy bonds for its bonded officers and to appropriate money for same.  
 Art 10 To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow money from time to time in Anticipation of the revenue of the current financial year.  
 Art 11 To see if the Town will vote to abate Taxes for Mrs Joseph Lavine from the time of her husbands committment to Northampton Hospital for the Insane until her Children shall be able to contribute sufficient and to enable her to support the Family or for such period as the Town may determine
- 345 Art 12 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Two Hundred and forty dollars to complete the payment for Snow plow  
 Art 13 To see if the Town will vote to improve the South Sandisfield road from the State line running north and to appropriate the sum of One Thousand Dollars to be used under the Provisions of Chapter 90  
 Art 14 To see if the Town will vote to continue the improvement of the Montville road and the same to be used under the Provisions of Chapter 90  
 Art 15 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Six Hundred and Twenty five Dollars to pay John Avery & Sons for Bridge planks bought by the Board of Selectmen of 1923  
 Art 16 To vote to see if the Town will change the date of Town Meeting to some date if February

The polls will be opened at Ten O'clock A M and may be closed at Three O'Clock P M and you are directed to serve this warrant by posting true and attested copies thereof in three public places within the Town of Sandisfield seven days at least before the time of said meeting. Hereof fail not and make due returns of this warrant with your doings thereon to the TownClerk at or before the time of holding said meeting

Given under our hands at Sandisfield this twenty sixth day of February 1927

Frederick P Whitney) Selectmen  
 Henry Dodd ) of  
 Frank E Hawley ) Sandisfield

Jason Sears Town Clerk

A True Copy Attest  
 Joseph O'Brien Constable





346 To Anna C Willetts of Sandisfield Massachusetts

The office of Treasurer of the Town of Sandisfield being now vacant owing to the resignation of Allen Clark as Treasurer we, the Selectmen of said Town of Sandisfield, in accordance with the provisions of Section 48, Chapter 41 of the General Laws of Massachusetts, do hereby appoint you temporary Treasurer of said Town and you are hereby notified to furnish a surety bond satisfactory to the Board of Selectmen within ten days from the date of your appointment -

Witness our hands this 6th day of April 1927

Henry F Dodd ) Selectmen of the  
Frank E Hawley ) Town of  
Jason Sears ) Sandisfield

Attest a true copy

Jason Sears, Town Clerk

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Berkshire SS

To Joseph O'Brien Constable of the Town of Sandisfield

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town of Sandisfield, qualified to vote in the election of Town officers, to meet at the Town Hall on Tuesday, the seventeenth day of May, 1927, at two o'clock in the afternoon for the following purposes Viz:

Art 1 To choose a Moderator for such meeting

Art 2 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate any money to pay the existing indebtedness of the Town and pass any proper and lawful vote in the premises

Art 3 To see if the Town will authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year, beginning January 1, 1927, and to issue a note or notes therefor payable within one year, any debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the revenue of said financial year.

Art 4 To prescribe the manner in which the money appropriated by the Town at this meeting shall be raised, how it shall be drawn from the Treasury and be whom it shall be expended and pass proper and lawful vote in the premises

Art 5 To appoint any committee and give them or any officers of the Town instructions, authority or indemnity and transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting true and attested copies of the same in at least three public places in said Town of Sandisfield at least seven days before the time of said meeting.

Hereof fail not and of this warrant, with your doings thereon make due return to the Clerk of said Town at or before the time of said meeting

Given under our hands and the seal of the Town of Sandisfield this ninth day of May A D 1927

Henry Dodd ) Selectmen  
Frank E Hawley ) of  
Jason Sears ) Sandisfield

Attest

Jason Sears  
Town Clerk



Town Meeting May 17th 1927

Meeting called to order - Warrant read

Art 1 Owen Hartshorn Moderator

Art 2 Voted not to raise money for Enforcement of liquor law

Art 3 Voted that the Town Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen be, and hereby is, authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1927 and to issue a not or notes therefor, payable within one year. Any debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the revenue of said financial year.

Art 2	Voted to raise money to pay for other purposes in Article 2 Viz	
	Interest - 1926	\$184.19
	Penalty State Tax	\$ 25.00
	State Highway	\$190 85
	Soldiers Exemption	\$ 3 34
	Interest County Tax	\$ 9.16
	General Government	\$111.45
	Health and Inspection	\$161.24
	To be raised by Taxation in 1927	Total \$715.23

Not a vote for Overlay 1924 of \$112.79

" " " " Tax Collectors Commission in 1921 and 1923 - \$500.00

" " " " Tax Collectors Commission in 1924-1925-1926 \$1000.00

Voted Down Enforcement of Liquor law 0 \$2755.00

" " Snow - \$ 163.39

Art 4 and 5 Passed over not a vote

Attest - Jason Sears  
Town Clerk

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Berkshire SS

To Joseph O'Brien Constable of the Town of Sandisfield

Greeting

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town of Sandisfield qualified to vote in Election and Town affairs to meet at the Town Hall on Monday the 12th day of March 1928 at Ten O'clock A M for the following purposes Viz

Art 1 To choose a Moderator for said meeting

Art 2 To vote by ballot for Town officers and terms thereof as follows -  
One Town Clerk for the term of One year - One Town Treasurer for the term of One year - Three Selectmen for the term of One year - One Assessor for the term of three years - One Assessor for the term of One year - One Library Trustee for the term Three years - Two Constables for the term of One year - One School Committee for the term of Three years - One Auditor for the term of One year

Art 3 To choose all the necessary Town Officers not mentioned in Article too

Art 4 To hear the report of the Town Officers and act thereon

Art 5 To the Collection of Taxes in 1928 and to pass any vote that may be necessary in relation thereto

Art 6 To choose any Committee or agents for the Town and to give them instructions and authority





- 350 Art 7 To act upon the Jury list as presented by the Selectmen  
 Art 8 To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary to pay the expenses of the various Town Departments: General Government - Unclassified - Health Department - Inspection of Animals - Inspection of Slaughters - Repair of Highways - Repair of Bridges - Opening Roads in Winter - Support of Schools - Insurance under Workmens Compensation Act - Charity - Public Library - Cemeteries - Interest - Contingent Fund and for any other purposes that may be necessary -
- Art 9 To see if the Town will vote to buy bonds for its bonded officers and to appropriate money for same
- 351 Art 10 To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of revenue of the current financial year
- Art 11 To see if the Town will vote to continue the improvement of the Montville road and will raise and appropriate One Thousand Dollars for the same. To be used under the provisions of Chapter 90
- Art 12 To see if the Town will buy a New Road Scraper and will appropriate money for same
- Art 13 To see if the Town will vote and will raise money for land Damages for the new Highway leading from New Boston to Colebrook the sum of Fourteen Hundred and Fourteen Dollars to pay for the same
- Art 14 To see if the Town will vote and raise money to pay back bills from 1921 to 1926
- Art 15 To see if the Town will vote to pay Sherman Clark for services in the year of 1927
- Art 16 To see if the Town will vote and raise money for to carry on the Moth work in the Town of Sandisfield under Chapter 132 of the General laws Section 14 Sets the amount of your Gypsy Moth liability at Three Hundred Dollars and fifty nine cents
- Art 17 To see if the Town of Sandisfield will vote to raise Twenty five Dollars for Demonstration work in Agriculture

The polls will be opened at ten O'clock A M and may be closed at Three O'clock P M and you are directed to serve this warrant by posting true and attested copies in three public places within the Town of Sandisfield seven days at least before the time of said meeting. Hereof fail not make due returns of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at or before the time of holding said meeting

Given under our hands this Third day of March 1928

Henry Dodd ) Selectmen  
 Frank E Hawley ) of  
 Jason Sears ) Sandisfield

Attested a True Copy

Constable Joseph O'Brien

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Town Meeting March 12th 1928

Meeting called to order and Town Warrant read by the Town Clerk

Voted by tickets for a Moderator

- Art 1 Frank E Hawley was elected Moderator - and Dennis O'Brien & Samuel Wilber as ballot clerks. All sworn by the Town Clerk - later Samuel Wilber was drawn out as he being a Democrat so we appointed a Republican Alfred Carter
- Art 2 A vote and voted by Ballots for Town Officers
- Art 3 Voted to choose all Town officers not mention in Art 2
- Art 4 Nothing against the Town Officers
- Art 5 Taxes Voted to be let in 1928 by tickets in the box only one bid put in by Wesley E Deming at 4 per cent So Wesley E Deming appointed as Tax Collector for 1928



- 352 Art 6 Frederick P Whitney was appointed and Voted by the Town for Town Agent
- Art 7 Voted to accept the Jury list as presented by the Selectmen
- Art 8 Voted to raise money for to pay the various Departments of the Town - Such as Schools, Roads, Bridges, Snow and other articles not here mentioned
- Art 9 Voted to buy Bonds for its bonded officers the sum of \$175 Dollars
- Art 10 Voted by the Town for the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow money from time to time as they see fit in anticipation from revenue of the currant financial year
- Art 11 Voted by the Town to carry on the Montville road and \$1000.00 Dollars raised for the same under Chapter 90
- Art 12 Voted to buy a new Road Scraper and \$650.00 raised for the same
- Art 13 Voted to raise for Land Damages on the new Highway leading from New Boston to Colebrook Corn the sum of \$1444.00
- Art 14 Passed
- Art 15 Not a Vote for Game Warden - or allow money for Sherman Clark  
Passed
- Art 16 Passed not a vote to raise for Moth work
- Art 17 Passed not a vote for agriculture work

- 353 Voted to raise for General Government \$1500.00
- Voted to raise for Unclassified for Slaughters & Inspection of Animalls \$ 200 00
- Voted to raise for Highways \$1500 00
- Voted to raise for Bridges \$1200 00
- Voted to raise for opening roads in Winter \$ 800 00
- Voted to raise for Support of Schools \$10000 00
- Voted to raise for Insurance Workmans act \$ 250 00
- Voted to raise for Charity \$ 10 00
- Voted to raise for the Library \$ 40 00
- Voted to raise for Cemeteries \$ 60 00

Passed interest & contingent fund

Voted by the Town for the care of Cemeteries

Beach Plain	Frank Waters
New Boston	Wesley E Deming
Sandisfield	Samuel Wilber
New Hartford road	Frederick P Whitney
South Near G Lains	Charles D Strickland
South Sandisfield	William W Smith

Fence Viewers

Owen Hartshorn  
Frederick P Whitney  
Howard Spring

Field Drivers

South Sandisfield	Frederick P Whitney
New Boston	Sherman Clark
Town Hill	John Kimberley

Attest

Jason Sears  
Town Clerk

Votes continued over next page





354 The Selectmen Organized March 11th 1928 and appointed Town Officers as follows  
Selectman Chairman Henry Dodd  
Road Superintendent Henry Dodd

Inspectors of Slaughter  
Joseph O'Brien  
Howard Spring  
Alfred Mull

Fire Warden  
Frank Humphrey

Tree Warden  
Henry Dodd

Sealer of Weights and Measures  
Wesley E Deming

Inspector of Animals  
Joseph O'Brien

A True Attested Copy Jason Sears  
Town Clerk

List of Jurors for 1928  
Harry Rogers William W Smith  
Charles D Strickland Alfred Rowley  
Homer Curtis - Drawn March 14, 1928 Sherman Clark  
John Blake - Drawn 1929 Harry Riiska

355 Town Clerk - March 12th 1928 - Votes and Blanks

Jason Sears	Votes	63	Blanks	17
Treasurer				
Annie L Willetts	Votes	65	Blanks	15
Selectmen				
Frederick B Whitney	Votes	20	Blanks	60
Jason Sears	Votes	64	Blanks	16
Henry Dodd	Votes	65	Blanks	15
Frank E Hawley	Votes	51	Blanks	29
John Blake	Votes	23	Blanks	57
Assessor for 3 years				
John Blake	Votes	40	Blanks	40
Wesley E Deming	Votes	33	Blanks	47
Assessor for One year				
Owen Hartshorn	Votes	49	Blanks	29
School Committee for Three years				
Sarah L Ives	Votes	33	Blanks	47
Wesley E Deming	Votes	40	Blanks	40
Library Trustee for 3 years				
Lillie Strickland	Votes	56	Blanks	24
Constable for one years				
Joseph O'Brien	Votes	46	Blanks	34
Arthur Church	Votes	27	Blanks	53
Charlie Curtis	Votes	38	Blanks	42
Wesley E Deming	Votes	22	Blanks	58



355 Auditor for One year

Frank Humphrey

Clifford Cronk

Votes

38

Blanks

42

Votes

41

Blanks

39

356 (Blank)

357

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Berkshire SS

To either of the Constables of the Town of Sandisfield

Greeting

In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town who are qualified to vote in Primaries to meet in the Town Hall Tuesday the Twenty-fourth day of April 1928 at Ten O'clock A M for the following purposes:

To bring in their votes to the Primary Officers for the Election of Candidates of Political Parties for the following officers:

7 Delegates at Large to the National Convention of the Republican Party

7 Alternative Delegates at large to the National Convention of Republican Party

8 Delegates at large to the National Convention of the Democratic Party

8 Alternative Delegates at large to National Convention of Democratic Party

2 District Delegates to the National Convention of the Republican Party -

Congressional District

2 Alternative District Delegates to the National Convention of the Republican Party - Congressional District

4 District Delegates to the National Convention of the Democratic Party - Congressional District

4 Alternative District Delegates to the National Convention of the Democratic Party - Congressional District

Presidential Preference

Preference for Republican Candidate for President of the United States

Preference for Democratic Candidate for President of the United States

The Polls will be open from 10 O'clock A M to Three O'clock P M and you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof 7 days at least before the time of said meeting as directed by vote of the Town. Hereof fail not and make return of this warrant with your doings thereon at the time of said meeting

Given under our hands this Tenth day of April A D 1928

Henry Dodd ) Selectmen

Frank E Hawley) of

Jason Sears ) Sandisfield

A True Copy Attest

Joseph O'Brien - Constable

April 10th 1928

Attest

Jason Sears - Town Clerk  
of  
Sandisfield





## Primaries held April 24 1928

Warrant read by Jason Sears Town Clerk. Polls open at 10 o'clock A M  
There were 4 Ballots cast on the Republican Side - as follows

## Delegates at Large

William M Butler	3 votes
Frederick H Gillett	3 "
Canning H Cox	3 "
Eben S Draper	2 "
Pauline R Thayer	2 "
Minnie R Dwight	2 "
Grace H Bagley	2 "

## Not Grouped

Frederick L Anderson	1 Vote
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## Alternative Delegates at Large

Louise M Williams	1 Vote
Mary Pratt Potter	1 "
Eliot Wadsworth	3 "
Frederick H Prince	1 "
Butler Ames	2 "
Edwin F Leonard	2 "
Raoul H Beaudreau	2 "

## District Delegates - First District

John B Hull	3 votes
William F Whiting	2 "

## Alternate District Delegates

Denis T Noorsan	2 votes
George K Pond	2 "

## Presidential Preference

Herbert Hoover	1 vote
Calvin Coolidge	1 "
Alvin Fuller	1 "

The results were as follows

Ballot Clerks Dennis O'Brien Wesley E Deming

David I Walsh	9 votes
James M Curley	5 "
Andrew J Peters	6 "
Charles H Cole	5 "
Joseph B Ely	6 "
Helen A McDonald	2 "
William J. Foley	5 "
Edward J Kelley	4 "

## Not grouped

Lawrence F Quigley	3 votes
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359 Alternate Delegates at Large

Charles H McGlue	6 votes
Strabo V Claggett	4 "
Joseph Santosnoseo	3 "
Bernard M Wolf	6 "
Elizabeth C McInerney	2 "
Dorothy Whipple Fay	2 "
James A Donovan	4 "
Raymond V McNamera	5 "

District Delegates First District

Patrick Bresnahan Jr.	7 votes
James F Cleary Jr.	5 "
Jeremiah M Cinnmehan	8 "
Eugene A Lynch	6 "

Alternative District Delegates First District

Mary E Driscoll	4 votes
Daniel T Griffin	5 "
Frank M Lucey	6 "
Edward F Prindiville	4 "

Presidential Preference

Alfred Smith	6 votes
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Polls closed at 3 P.M.

Ballots counted by

Attest

Jason Sears  
Town Clerk  
of Sandisfield

Dennis O'Brien  
Wesley E Deming  
Henry Dodd  
Frank E Hawley

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State Primary Held September 18th 1928

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

To either of the Constables of the Town of Sandisfield

In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitant of said Town who are qualified to vote in Primaries to meet in the Town Hall Tuesday the Eighteenth day of September 1928 at Two o'clock P M for the following purposes: To bring in their votes to the Primary Officers for Nomination of candidates of Political Parties for the following offices:

Governor	For the Commonwealth
Lieutenant Governor	" " "
Secretary	" " "
Treasurer & Receiver General	" " "
Auditor of the Commonwealth	" " "
Attorney General	" " "
Senator in Congress	
Representative in Congress to fill vacancy	Senatorial
Representative in Congress to fill vacancy	Twelfth
Councillor	
Senator	
Representative in General Court	Representative
County Commissioners (2)	County Berkshire
Register of Deeds	District
Clerk of Courts	Berkshire County





360 Clerk of Supreme Court Judicial Court Suffolk County  
 Clerk of Superior Court in Civil Business " "  
 Clerk of Superior Court for Criminal Business " " vacancies  
 In Barnstable County County Treasurer to fill vacancy  
 In Barnstable County Associate County Commissioners to fill vacancy  
 In Bristol County " " " " " "  
 In Essex County County Treasurer to fill vacancy  
 In Norfolk County Associate for County Commissioner to fill vacancy  
 In Hampden County Associate County Commissioners to fill vacancy  
 In Middlesex County Associate County Commissioners to fill vacancy  
 In Plymouth County Sheriff to fill vacancy

And for the Election of the following Officers:  
 District member of State Committee for each political party  
 for the Senatorial District  
 Members of the Republican Town Committee  
 Members of the Democratic Town Committee  
 Delegates to State Conventions of the Republican Party  
 Delegates to State Conventions of the Democratic Party

361 all the above candidates and officers are to be voted for upon one ballot  
 The polls will be open from Two to Four P M and you are directed to serve this  
 warrant by posting attested copies thereof seven days at least before the time of  
 said meeting as directed by vote of the Town.

Hereof fail not and make return of this warrant with your doings thereon at  
 the time and place of said meeting

Given under our hands this Tenth day of September AD 1928

A True copy attest  
 Joseph O'Brien Constable  
 September Eleventh 1928  
 Selectmen of Sandisfield  
 Henry Dodd  
 Frank E Hawley  
 Jason Sears  
 Attest A True Copy  
 Jason Sears Town Clerk of Sandisfield

362 Republican Vote 13 Votes cast

Primaries  
 Warrant read by the Town Clerk  
 Polls open at Two P M Closed at Four P M  
 Ballot Clerks Dennis O'Brien and Owen Hartshorn  
 Republican Ballot Thirteen votes cast as follows

Governor				
Frank G Allen	votes	10	Blanks	3
Frank A Goodwin	"	2	"	11
Lieutenant Governor				
George A Bacon	"	2	"	11
Charles Lawrence Burrill	"	1	"	12
Pehs G Holmes	"	0	"	13
John C Hull	"	1	"	12
Robert M Leach	"	1	"	12
Wycliffe C Marshall	"	0	"	13
John H Sherburne	"	3	"	10
William Sterling Youngman	"	4	"	9
Secretary				
Frederick W Cook	"	8	"	5



362	Treasurer				
	Fred J Burrell	votes	2	Blanks	11
	John W Haigis	"	6	"	7
	J Ernest Kerr	"	0	"	13
	Russell A Wood	"	3	"	10
	Auditor				
	Dwight L Allison	"	0	"	13
	Julia B Burton	"	2	"	11
	Roland H Choate	"	2	"	11
	Alonzo B Cook	"	4	"	9
	Harvey E Frost	"	0	"	13
	Roswell F Phelps	"	1	"	12
	Attorney General				
	Clarence A Barnes	"	6	"	7
	Joseph E Warner	"	6	"	7
	Senator in Congress				
	Butler Ames	"	1	"	12
	Eben S Draper	"	6	"	7
	Benjamin Loring Young	"	1	"	12
363	Congressman				
	Allen T Treadway	"	11	"	2
	Councillor				
	George D Chamberlain	"	5	"	8
	Albert E Taylor	"	3	"	10
	Senator				
	William C DuBois	"	9	"	4
	Frederick E Judd	"	0	"	13
	Harry B Putnam	"	1	"	12
	Representative in General Court				
	Frank J Brothers	"	6	"	7
	W Taylor Day	"	3	"	10
	Henry B Parsons	"	2	"	11
	County Commissioners				
	Frank Howard	"	5	"	8
	Edward J Spall	"	6	"	7
	Robert S Tillotson	"	6	"	7
	Clerk of Courts				
	Irving H Gamwell	"	8	"	5
	Register of Deeds				
	Malcolm Douglas	"	4	"	9
	State Committee				
	Frederick S Delefield	"	8	"	5
	Delegate at State Convention				
	No one	"	0		
	Town Committee				
	No one				

364		Democrat 6 Votes cast as follows			
	Governor				
	Charles H Cole	Votes	3	Blanks	3
	John J Cummings	"	3	"	3
	Lieutenant Governor				
	John T Malley	"	4	"	2
	Charles S Murphy	"	1	"	5
	Secretary				
	Joseph Santosnosso	"	5	"	1





364	Treasurer				
	James P Bergin	votes	1	Blanks	5
	Daniel England	"	5	"	1
	Auditor				
	Strabo V Claggett	"	2	"	4
	Irving Lewis	"	1	"	5
	Francis J O Gorman	"	3	"	3
	Attorney General				
	Edward P Barrey	"	5	"	5
	William R Scharton	"	1	"	5
	Senator in Congress				
	David I Walsh	"	6	"	0
	Congressman				
	DeWitt C DeWolf	"	3	"	3
	George E Haggerty	"	1	"	5
	Daniel A Martin	"	2	"	4
	Councillor				
	None - no vote				
	Senator				
	Henry W Warner	votes	6	Blanks	0
	Representative in General Court				
	William H Heffeshan	"	5	"	1
	County Commissioners				
	Edward W Bartholomew	"	4	"	2
	Frank Howard	"	1	"	5
	Robert S Tillotson	"	1	"	5
	Clerk of Courts				
	None - no votes				
365	Register of Deeds				
	Malcolm Douglas	votes	6	Blanks	0
	State Committee				
	John Hull	"	5	"	1
	Delegates to State Convention				
	No votes				
	Town Committee				
	No votes				

Attest A True Copy

Jason Sears Town Clerk of Sandisfield

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State Election Sandisfield  
Tuesday November 6th 1928

The Polls were open at ten o'clock and were closed at 4 o'clock P M  
There were 87 Ballots cast - Ballot clerks Dennis O'Brien, Dem, Alfred A Carter Rep.  
Ballots counted by Dennis O'brien - Owne Hartshorn - Alfred C Carter - Joseph O'brien  
Henry F Dodd - Frank E Hawley - Jason Sears Town Clerk

The vote was as follows

Foster & Gillow - Workers Party	Votes	2	Blanks	85
Hoover & Curtis - Rep	"	48	"	38
Reynolds & Crowley - Socialist Labor	"	1	"	86
Smith & Robertson - Democratic	"	38	"	49
Thomas & Maurer - Socialist	"	2	"	85
Governor				
Frank G Allen - Rep	"	49	"	39
Chester W Bixby - Workers Party	"	0	"	87



366	Charles H Cole Dem	Votes	25	Blanks	62
	Washington Cook	"	0	"	87
	Mary Donovan Hapwood	"	0	"	87
	Edith Hamilton McFadden	"	0	"	87
	Stephen J Surridge	"	0	"	87
	Lieutenant Governor				
	John Corbin	"	1	"	86
	Henry C Hess	"	0	"	87
	Walter S Hutchins	"	2	"	85
	John F Malley	"	27	"	60
	William Sterling Youngman	"	41	"	46
	Secretary				
	Harry J Carter	"	2	"	85
	Frederick W Cook	"	45	"	42
	Oscar Kinsales	"	1	"	86
	Joseph Santosnosso	"	21	"	66
	Edith M Williams	"	2	"	85
	Treasurer				
	James P Bergin	"	24	"	63
	Clbert Sprague Coolidge	"	4	"	83
	John W Haigis	"	40	"	47
	Albert Oddie	"	1	"	86
	Charles S Oram	"	0	"	87
367	Auditor				
	John M Aiken	"	2	"	85
	Alonzo B Cook	"	38	"	49
	David A Elsenberg	"	2	"	85
	Eva Hoffman	"	0	"	87
	Francis J. O Gorman	"	26	"	61
	Attorney General				
	Edward P Barry	"	26	"	61
	Morris J Becker	"	0	"	87
	Max Lerner	"	1	"	86
	John Weaver Sherman	"	2	"	85
	Joseph E Warner	"	41	"	46
	Senator in Congress				
	John J Ballam	"	0	"	87
	Alfred Baker Lewis	"	1	"	86
	David J Walsh	"	32	"	55
	Benjamin Loring Young	"	41	"	46
	Congressman				
	Daniel A Martin	"	22	"	65
	Allen T Treadway	"	54	"	33
	Councillor				
	George D Chamberlain	"	53	"	35
	Senator				
	Frederick E Judd	"	42	"	45
	Henry E Warner	"	29	"	58
	Representative in General Court				
	Wm Taylor Day	"	44	"	43
	William H Heffman	"	28	"	59
	County Commissioners Berkshire County				
	Edward W Bartholomew	"	17	"	70
	Frank Howard	"	42	"	45
	Frederick H Printess	"	17	"	70
	Robert S Tillitson	"	47	"	46





367 Clerk of Courts  
 Irving H Gamwell votes 55 blanks 32  
 Register of Deeds  
 Malcolm Douglas " 58 " 29  
 Law proposed by initiative petition  
 Yes 34  
 No 27  
 Question of Public Policy  
 Yes 35  
 No 23  
 Attest A True Copy  
 Jason Sears Town Clerk of Sandisfield

368 Canvass of Votes for Representative District No. 5  
 Berkshire SS Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
 The undersigned, clerks of the several towns comprising the Representative District No. five (5) in said County, met at the Town Clerk's office in Great Barrington, at twelve o'clock noon, on Friday, the 16th day of November, 1928, and hereby certify that they did then and there examine all the attested copies of the record of the votes of the aforesaid towns at their several meetings on Tuesday, November 6, 1928, the result being as follows:  
 The whole number of votes cast was 4,903

	Gt Barrington	Stockbridge	Sheffield	W Stockbridge	Egremont	Alford	Mt Washington	Sandisfield	New Marlboro	Monterey	Total
W Taylor Day	1259	478	389	220	155	55	25	44	251	112	2988
William H Hefferman	1179	304	103	167	24	18	5	28	72	15	1915

And the said W. Taylor Day was declared elected

Attest  
 Edward Kelly Town Clerk of Great Barrington  
 Adam Schilling Town Clerk of Stockbridge  
 Henry C Clark Town Clerk of Sheffield  
 Geo F Callahan Town Clerk of West Stockbridge  
 George Boice Town Clerk of Egremont  
 Frank Kline Town Clerk of Alford  
 W A Hunt Town Clerk of Mt. Washington  
 Jason Sears Town Clerk of Sandisfield  
 Hadley K Turner Town Clerk of New Marlboro  
 Frank M Harmore Town Clerk of Monterey

369 (Blank)  
 370 (Blank)



March 11th 1929  
Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
Berkshire SS

To Joseph O'Brien Constable of the Town of Sandisfield

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town of Sandisfield qualified to vote in Elections and Town Affairs to meet at the Town Hall on Monday the Eleventh day of March 1929 at ten O'clock A M for the following purposes - Viz -

- Art 1 To choose a Moderator for said meeting
- Art 2 To vote by ballot for Town Officers and terms thereof as follows  
One Town Clerk for the term of One year - One Town Treasurer for the term of One year - Three Selectmen for the term of One year - One Assessor for the term of Three years - One Assessor for the term of Two years - One Library Trustee for the term of Three years - Two Constables for the term of One year - One School Committee for the term of Three years - One Auditor for the term of One year
- Art 3 To choose all the necessary Town Officers not mentioned in Article Two
- Art 4 To hear the report of the Town Officers and act thereon
- Art 5 To the Collection of Taxes in 1929 and to pass any vote that may be necessary in relation thereto
- Art 6 To choose any Committee or Agents for the Town and to give them instructions and authority
- Art 7 To Act upon the Jury List as presented by the Selectmen
- Art 8 To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary to pay the Expenses of the various Town Departments - General Government - Unclassified - Health Department - Inspection of Slaughters - Inspection of Animalls - Repair of Highways - Repair of Bridges - Opening Roads in Winter - Support of Schools - Charity - Insurance under Workmens Compensation Act - Public Library - Interest - Contingent Fund - And for any other purposes that may be necessary
- Art 9 To see if the Town will vote to buy bonds for its bonded Officers and to appropriate money for same
- Art 10 To see if the Town will authorize the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow money from time to time in Anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January first 1929 and to issue a note or notes thereof payable within one year any debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the revenue of said financial year
- 372 Art 11 To see if the Town will vote to continue the improvement of the Montville road and will raise and appropriate money for same to be used under the provisions of Chapter 90
- Art 12 To see if the Town will vote to raise the sum of three hundred dollars to pay Louis Reutter for his house by bridge in New Boston and damage

The Polls will be opened at Ten Oclock A M and may be closed at Three Oclock PM and you are directed to serve this warrant by posting true and attested copies thereof in Three public places within the Town of Sandisfield seven days at least before the time of said meeting. Hereof fail not make due returns of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at or before the time of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands at Sandisfield this Second day of March 1929	
A true copy attest	Henry F Dodd ) Selectmen
Joseph O'Brien Constable	Frank E Hawley) of
Attest a True Copy	Jason Sears ) Sandisfield
Jason Sears Town Clerk of Sandisfield	





Appropriations for 1929  
Town Meeting March 11th 1929

Meeting called to order and warrant read by the Town Clerk

Polls open at 10 Oclock A M

Votes cast for Moderator - Frank E Hawley was Elected

Ballot clerks were Dennis O'Brien - Democrat Alfred A Carter - Republican

- Art 6 Voted by the Town for Frank E Hawley to be Agent for the Town
- Art 7 Voted to accept the 1929 Jury List as presented by the Selectmen
- Voted for bids to be put in Jury box for Collection of Taxes in 1929  
William W Smith was the lowest bid at  $3\frac{1}{4}$  So William Smith is the  
Tax Collector
- Art 8 Voted to raise money for the various articles mentioned in Art 8
- Art 9 Voted by the Town to raise and buy bonds for the bonded Officers  
the sum of - - \$100 00
- Art 10 Voted by the Town that the Town Treasurer with the approval of the  
Selectmen be and hereby is authorized to borrow money from time to  
time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning  
January first 1929, and to issue a note or notes therefor payable  
within one year any debt or debts incurred under this vote to be  
paid from the revenue of said financial year. Also voted not to  
borrow over \$10,000.00
- Voted to raise for General Government \$2000.00
- Voted to raise for Inspection of Slaughters & Animalls \$ 250.00
- Voted to raise for Highways Repair \$2000.00
- Voted to raise for Bridges Repair \$1200.00
- Voted to raise for Opening Roads in Winter Snow \$1000.00
- Voted to raise for Support of Schools \$10,000.00
- Voted to raise for Charity Support of the Poor \$ 600.00
- Voted to raise for Workmens Compensation Act \$ 250.00
- Voted to raise for Interest to meet the interest on  
note or notes \$ 236.98
- Voted to raise to buy bonds for its bonded officers \$ 100 00
- Voted to raise to extend the Montville road Chapter 90 \$1000.00
- Voted to pay Louis Reutter for house the sum of \$ 300.00
- Voted to raise the sum of \$800 for graveling bad places \$ 800.00
- Voted to raise for a new Tractor in 1929 \$1000.00
- And left with Selectmen to do as they like or are fit
- Voted to raise the sum og \$150 for painting Town Hall \$ 150.00
- Voted to raise for Snow fence \$ 250.00
- 374 Voted by the Town to use the Viets fund for library all of the expenses of the  
Public Library in 1929
- Voted to have the Town Reports mailed to the voters of the Town one week before  
Town Meeting

Care of Cemeteries voted by the Town -	Frank Waters
Beach Plains Cemetery -	Frank Waters
New Boston -	Charles D Strickland
Sandisfield Center -	Samuel Wilber
New Hartford Road -	Frederick P Whitney
South Cemetery -	George Lain
South Sandisfield -	William Smith

Voted by the Town for Fence Viewers	Owen Hartshorn
	Frederick P Whitney
	Howard Spring



374 Voted by the Town for Field Drivers - South Sandisfield - Mattie Riiska  
 New Boston - Sherman L Clark  
 Town Hill - Samuel Steinburg

Voted by the Town - About the Court Deed of Liddiards to be left in the hands of the Selectmen

Voted by the Town for the Town Hill land known as the Allen Smith place - To be left in the hands of the Selectmen

Voted to accept the Town Reports of the year of 1928

375 The Vote was as follows

Town Clerk for One year					
Jason Sears	Votes	73	Blanks	5	
Town Treasurer for One year					
Anna C Willets	Votes	75	Blanks	3	
Selectmen for One year					
Henry F Dodd	Votes	73	Blanks	5	
Jason Sears	"	55	"	23	
Frank E Hawley	"	70	"	8	
Charles D Strickland	"	22	"	56	
Assessor for Three years					
Owen Hartshorn	"	44	"	34	
Alfred A Carter	"	29	"	49	
Assessor for Two years					
William W Smith	"	41	"	37	
Howard Spring	"	32	"	56	
School Committee for Three years					
Lucy T Humphrey	"	53	"	25	
Charles D Strickland	"	25	"	53	
Library Trustee for Three years					
Aminia Crocker	"	40	"	38	
Dora Strickland	"	34	"	43	
Constable for One year					
Frank Robinson	"	50	"	28	
Joseph O'Brien	"	53	"	25	
Arthur Church	"	29	"	49	
Auditor for One year					
Gertrude M Carter	"	69	"	9	

Selectmen organized March 14th 1929

The results were as follows

Henry F Dodd Chairman and Road Superintendent

Meat Inspectors

Joseph O'Brien

Howard Spring

Alfred Mull

Inspector of Animals

Joseph O'Brien

Sealer of Weights and Measures

Wesley E Deming

Tree Warden

Henry F Dodd

Extra Police

William W Smith





376 Fire Warden  
Frank S Humphrey

Given under our hand this Fourteenth day of March 1929

Attest a True Copy

Jason Sears

Town Clerk of Sandisfield

Henry F Dodd ) Selectmen  
Frank E Hawley) of  
Jason Sears ) Sandisfield

Money that was raised at Town meeting was as follows

March 11th 1929

Twenty-one Thousand and Two hundred and Thirty Six dollars and Ninety-eight cents  
\$21,236.98 cents

List of Jurors for 1929

Harry Rogers - Drawn December 17

Charles D Strickland

Charles Curtis

Abraham Beranoff

William W Smith - Drawn March 15 1929

Alfred Rowley

Sherman Clark

Harry Riiska

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Warrant for Special Meeting Nov 1, 1929

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Berkshire SS

To any constable of the town of Sandisfield in said county. Greeting:  
In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town of Sandisfield, qualified to vote in town meetings and to act in town affairs, to meet at the Town Hall in said Sandisfield, on Friday the first day of November at 1 o'clock p.m., then and there to act on the following articles:

Art 1 To choose a Moderator for said meeting

Art 2 To see if the Town will vote an appropriation for a new snow plow, and determine the manner in which the money shall be raised.

Art 3 To see if the Town will vote an appropriation for a tractor and determine the manner in which the money shall be raised

Art 4 To see if the Town will vote to spend the tractor earnings

Art 5 To see if the Town will vote to raise the sum of eleven hundred dollars (\$1100) of borrowed money to pay Frederick P Whitney.

Art 6 To vote upon any article not here mentioned or other things that may be brought up.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting true and attested copy thereof in three public places within the town of Sandisfield, seven days at least before the date of said meeting.

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Hereof fail not, and make due return of this warrant and your doings thereon at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands at Sandisfield this twenty fourth day of October 1929

Henry F Dodd ) Selectmen  
Frank E Hawley) of  
Jason Sears ) Sandisfield

Jason Sears Town Clerk

Return of Warrant



Return of Warrant  
Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
Hampden ss

Sandisfield November 1, 1929

I have served the foregoing warrant by posting three sttested copies thereof in public places in the town of Sandisfield, to wit: the Town Hall, the Post Office New Boston and the Post Office at South Sandisfield, on the twenty fourth day of October 1929

Joseph O'Brien, Constable

A ture copy, Attest.

Jason Sears Town Clerk

Special Town Meeting, Nov 1, 1929

Pursuant to the foregoing warrant the voters met at the time and place specified. The warrant was read by the town clerk. Frank Hawley was elected Moderator by ballot and the following business was transacted:

George W Searle of Westfield and Mr Shaw of Pittsfield were granted unanimous consent to address the meeting.

- Art 2      Voted to appropriate \$1395.00 for a new snow plow as follows:  
              \$284.75 to be appropriated from the surplus war bonus and \$1110.25 to be  
              borrowed in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 44 General Laws.  
              The selectmen were authorized to turn the old snow plow in for \$250.00  
              applied on the purchase price of a new snow plow. The voters rose and  
              were counted 28 voting "ayes" and 2 voting "No."
- Art 3      Voted to pass over this article
- Art 4      Voted to appropriate \$1038.25 from tractor and scrapper earnings to  
              complete payment for a tractor purchased in 1929.
- Art 5      Voted not to pay Frederick P Whitney \$1100 advanced to the town while  
              he was treasurer "Yes" 14 "No" 22
- Art 6      Voted to raise and appropriate \$1333.12 for schools  
              Voted to adjourn at 4 pm

Jason Sears Town Clerk

Warrant for Town Meeting March 10, 1930  
Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
Berkshire s.s

To Joseph O'Brien Constable of the Town of Sandisfield:      Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town of Sandisfield qualified to vote in town meetings and to act in town affairs to meet at the Town Hall on Monday the 10th day of March 1930 at ten o'clock A.M. for the following purposes - Viz.

- Art 1      To choose a moderator for said meeting
- Art 2      To vote by ballot for town officers and terms thereof as follows -  
              One town clerk for the term of one year  
              One town treasurer for the term of one year  
              Three selectmen for the term of one year  
              One assessor for the term of three years  
              One library trustee for the term of three years  
              Two school committee - One for the term of two years and  
    one for the term of three years  
              Two constables for the term of one year  
              One auditor for the term of one year  
              One sealer of weights and measures for the term of one year  
              One tax collector for the term of one year





- 381 Art 3 To see if the town will vote to have one of the town officers act as Superintendent
- Art 4 To choose all the necessary town officers not mentioned in Art 2 or other things that may come before said meeting
- Art 5 To hear the report of the town officers and act thereon
- Art 6 To act upon the jury list as presented by the selectmen
- Art 7 To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary to pay the expenses of the various town departments ie. General government, Health Department, Unclassified, Inspection of Slaughters, Inspection of Animals, Repair of Highways, Repair of Bridges, Removal of Snow, Support of Schools, Charity, Cemeteries, Insurance, under Workmens' Compensation Act, Public Library, Interest, Contingent fund and for any other purposes that many be necessary
- Art 8 To see if the town will vote to buy bonds for its bonded officers and to appropriate money for same
- Art 9 To see if the town will authorize the treasurer with the approval of the selectmen to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1930 and to issue a note or notes thereof payable within one year any debts incurred under the vote to be paid from the revenue of said financial year.
- 382 Art 10 To see if the town will vote to open the East New Boston School
- Art 11 To see if the town will raise money for the Montville Road under Chapter 90
- Art 12 To see if the town will vote to buy an adding machine for the assessors and raise money for same
- Art 13 To see if the town will vote to pay Frederick P Whitney for money he loaned the town.
- The polls will be open at 10 o'clock A.M. and may be closed at 3 o'clock P.M. and you are directed to serve this warrant by posting true and attested copies thereof in three public places within the town of Sandisfield seven days at least before the time of said meeting hereof fail not to make due returns of this warrant with your doings thereon to the town clerk at or before the time of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands at Sandisfield this Third day of March 1930

Henry F Dodd ) Selectmen  
 Frank E Hawley ) of  
 Jason Sears ) Sandisfield

A true Attested copy  
 Joseph O'Brien Constable

- 383 Town Meeting called to order March 10th 1930
- Warrant read by the Town Clerk Jason Sears
- Art 1 ballots cast for Moderator Frank E Hawley Elected
- Art 2 To see if the Town reports were accepted - Cotes cast in ballot box the results were 22 No and 19 yes: later voted to accept the reports & voted to carry on the meeting and vote
- Art 3 Voted to have one of the Town Officers to Superintend the road work or Highways
- Art 4 Voted to have the Selectmen choose other Town Officers if they want them
- Art 5 Town Officers were asked questions by many
- Art 6 Jury list Charles Curtis's name taken out of list as he wanted and voted to have Frederick P Whitney's name in place of Curtisses -
- Art 7 Money raised for various Departments



383 Art 8 Voted to buy Bonds for its Bonded Officers and the sum of \$50.00 raised for same and Voted to use \$50.00 of last years money to pay for same making in all for 1930 \$100.00 -

Art 9 Voted by the Town that the Town Treasurer with the approval of the Selectment be and hereby is authorized to borrow money from time to time in Anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January first 1930, and to issue a note or notes thereof payable within one year any debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the revenue of said financial year - no amount mentioned

Art 10 No Vote to open the New Boston East School - Not even Yes or No Super made same remarks - But no decision

Art 12 Voted by ballot to buy a adding machine for the Assessors and it was a Vote and Voted to raise \$60.00 for same

Art 13 Voted to pay Frederick P Whitney for money he loaned the Town and Voted by Ballots the results were 37 Yes 14 No the sum of Eleven Hundreded dollars \$1100.00

384 Voted by the Town to raise for General Government \$2000.00  
Voted by the Town to raise for Inspections of Slaughters & Animalls \$250.00  
Unclassified \$25.00  
Voted by the Town to raise for Highways \$2000 00  
" " " " Bridges \$1000 00  
" " " " Removal of Snow \$700 00  
and to use the last years money that was left over the sum of \$342 00  
Voted by the Town to use the last years sum of \$271.00 leftover of 1928 for Charity to be used on 1930 if wanted  
Voted to raise \$50.00 for Cemeteries and to use the Viets fund for the New Boston Cenetery  
Voted by the Town to raise for Workmens incurance compensation act the sum of \$460.00  
" " " " " Library to use the dog fund of 1929  
Montville Road Voted to raise under Chapter 90 \$1000.00  
and to use last years money of 1929 taxes the sum of \$1000.00 making in all \$2000.00  
Voted to raise for Gravelling mud holes & bad places \$800 00  
and to use the left over of 1928 or 1929 the sum of \$131.00  
Voted by the town to raise for Schools \$13,000 00  
Voted not to pay Frank Gridleys bill to Max Nager  
Taxes same as last year let to William Smith for  $3\frac{1}{4}$  per cent  
Voted to raise for School Committee for services and time \$100.00  
Voted to give the Town Treasurer \$15.00 per month  
Voted to raise the sum of \$3.00 for to have the Town reports \$3.00  
Voted to raise for Forest fires \$100.00

385 Voted by the Town to raise the sum of \$300.00 for the Otis fire department or Company  
Voted to close the polls at 4 Oclock P M and count the Ballots  
Ballots counted by Henry Dodd Jason Sears Dennis O'Brien  
Frank E Hawley Alfred Curtis  
And the results were as follows 82 votes cast

Town Clerk for one year  
Jason Sears Votes 73 Blanks 9

Town Treasurer for one year  
Annie C Willett Votes 73 Blanks 9





1930

Bonds	\$50.00
Adding Machine	60 00
Whitney	1100 00
G Government	2000 00
Animalls & S.	250 00
Unclassified	25 00
Roads	2000 00
Bridges	1000 00
Snow	700 00
Cemeteries	50 00
Insurance Work. M	460 00
Montville road	1000 00
Gravel	800 00
Schools	\$13000 00
S Committees	100 00
Reports Send out	3 00
Forest fires	100 00
Otis fire Company	300.00
	<u>\$22,998.00</u>

## Selectmen for One year

Henry F Dodd	Votes	56	Blanks	26
Jason Sears	"	65	"	17
Frank E Hawley	"	63	"	19
William Smith	"	34	"	48
Homer Curtis	"	22	"	60

## Assessor tor 3 years

Harry Rogers	Votes	59	Blanks	23
Wesley E Deming	"	19	"	63

## School Committee for Three years

Ada Rowley	Votes	73	Blanks	9
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## School Committee for Two years

Paul Knapp	Votes	38	Blanks	44
Sara LOUISA Ives	"	27	"	55

## Library Trustee for Three years

Lillie Deming	Votes	44	Blanks	38
Louisa Ives	"	29	"	53

## Constable for One year

Joseph O'Brien	Votes	38	Blanks	48
William Smith	"	26	"	56
Harry Rogers	"	52	"	30

## Auditor for one year

Mrs Gertrude M Carter	Votes	59	Blanks	23
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## Sealer of Weights and Measures for One Year

Wesley E Deming	Votes	50	Blanks	32
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## Tax Collector for One year

William W Smith	Votes	61	Blanks	21
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## Voted by the Town to care for the Beach Plain Cemetery

"	"	"	"	"	"	New Boston Cemtery
"	"	"	"	"	"	Sandisfield Cemetery
"	"	"	"	"	"	New Hartford road
"	"	"	"	"	"	South Sandisfield
"	"	"	"	"	"	South on River Road

Frank Waters  
 Wesley E Deming  
 William Lincovich  
 Mattie Riiska  
 William Smith  
 Julius Verchot



386 Fence Viewers Were Voted by the Town as follows  
Owen Hartshorn  
Frederick P Whitney  
Howard Spring

Field Drivers Voted by the Town  
South Sandisfield Mattie Riiska  
New Boston Joseph O'Brien  
Town Hill Sam Steinburg

Voted by the Town for Sam Steinburg to buy a Truck

List of Jurors for 1930  
Harry Riiska - Drawn March 13  
Frederick P Whitney John B Kimberley  
Alfred Carter William Smith  
Owen Hartshorn Abraham Barenoff

Attest A True Copy Jason Sears  
Town Clerk  
Sandisfield Mass March 15th 1930

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388 Warrant for State Primary

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts - Berkshire S S  
To either of the Constables of the Town of Sandisfield

In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town who are qualified to vote in Primaries to meet in the Town Hall, Tuesday the Sixteenth day of September 1930, at 10 O'clock A M, for the following purposes: To bring in their votes to the primary officers for the nomination of Political Parties for the following Officers:

Governor	for this Commonwealth
Lieutenant Governor	" " "
Secretary	" " "
Treasurer and Receiver General	" " "
Attorney General	" " "
Senator in Congress	" " " Congressional District
Councillor	" " " Councillor
Senator	" " " Senatorial
Representative in General Court	
District Attorney	
Register of Probate and insolvency	
County Commissioners (2)	
County Treasurer	
Vacancies	
In Bristol County	County Commissioner to fill vacancy
" Franklin "	Sheriff to fill vacancy
" Hampden "	" to fill vacancy
" Hampshire "	County Commissioner to fill vacancy
" Nantucket "	Clerk of Courts to fill vacancy





388 And for the Election of the following Officers  
 District Members of State Committee for each political party - for the  
 Senatorial District - Members of the Republican Town Committee  
 Members of the Democrat Town Committee  
 Delegate to State Conventions of the Republican party  
 " " " " of the Democratic "

All the candidates and officers are to be Voted for upon one ballot  
 The polls will be open from 10 am to 4 pm

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof seven  
 days at least before the time of said meeting as directed by Vote of the Town.  
 Hereof fail not and make return of this warrant with your doings thereon at the  
 time and place of said meeting

389 Given under our hands this 6th day of September A D 1930

Henry F Dodd ) Selectmen  
 Frank E Hawley ) of  
 Jason Sears ) Sandisfield

A True Copy attest  
 Joseph O Brien Constable  
 Dated September 7th 1930

#### Primaries Election

Sandisfield Mass September 16th 1930

Meeting called to order by the Town Clerk Jason Sears at 10 a.m

Ballot Clerks - Alfred A Carter Rep - Frank E Hawley Dem

15 ballots cast as follows - 11 Republicans and 4 Democrats

#### Republican Ticket

Governor  
 Frank G Allen Votes 11  
 John D Devir " 0

Secretary  
 Frederick W Cook Votes 10

Auditor  
 Joseph Carriese Votes 2  
 Alonzo B Cook " 9

Attorney General  
 Joseph E Warner Votes 8

Senator in Congress  
 William M Butler " 6  
 Eben S Draper " 5  
 Andrew Joseph Gillis " 0

Congressman  
 Allen F Treadway " 10

Representative in General Court  
 Jachens H Cande Votes 2  
 W Taylor Day " 5  
 William L Dubois " 4

390 County Commissioner  
 John Henderson Votes 10

Associate Commissioners  
 Leland P Jenks Votes 8  
 James H Punderson " 8

County Treasurer  
 Angeline S Martin Votes 10

State Committee  
 Mary P Bailey Votes 9

Delegates to State Convention  
 Gertrude M Carter Votes 1

Lieutenant Governor  
 William Sterling Youngman 9

Treasurer  
 James William Bacon 2  
 Charles Lawrence Burrell 4  
 Fred Jefferson Burrell 1  
 Russell D Chase Votes 2  
 Ezra D Whitaker " 0  
 George B Willard " 0  
 John W Withington " 0  
 Russell Abner Wood " 0

Councillor  
 George D Chamberlain Votes 10

Senator  
 Olander C Bidwell Votes 7  
 Frederick E Judd " 1  
 Edwin L Olander " 3

District Attorney  
 Charles R Clason Votes 10

Registrar of Probate  
 William S Morton 10

Town Committee  
 Homer Curtis Votes 2  
 Alfred A Carter " 1



## Governor

John J Cummings	Votes 2
Joseph B Ely	" 2
John F Fitzgerald	" 0

## Lieutenant Governor

Stabo V Claggett	Votes 0
John F Malley	" 4
Charles S Murphy	" 0
Michael C O'Neil	" 0

## Secretary

Arthur G Flynn	Votes 3
Chester J O'Brien	" 1
Joseph Santosuosso	" 0

## Treasurer

John H Dorsey	Votes 2
Charles T Hurley	" 2
Fred H Rourke	" 0

## 391 Auditor

Francis X Hurley	Votes 4
Francis J O Gorman	" 0
Jerome J Shea	" 0

## Attorney General

Henry P Fielding	Votes 2
William R Schapton	" 0
Harold W Sullivan	" 2

## Senator in Congress

Marcus A Coolidge	Votes 2
Eugene N Foss	" 0
Peter J Joyce	" 0
Thomas C O'Brien	" 1
Joseph F O'Connell	" 0

## Congressman

Thomas F Cassidy	Votes 1
Dewitt Clinton DeWolf	" 2
George E Haggerty	" 0
Hugh McLean	" 0
William A O'Hearn	" 1

## Councillor

John P Dowling	Votes 0
J Major Gagpron	" 1
James P Mahoney	" 2
Fred W Smith	" 0

## Senator

Thomas H Stapleton	Votes 1
Henry W Warner	" 2

## Representative in General Court

George H Tinker	Votes 3
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## District Attorney

Joseph E Kerigan	Votes 0
Raymond T King	" 1
Thomas F Moriarty	" 1
James R Nolen	" 1

## County Commissioner

Richard A Reuther	Votes 3
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## State Committee

Paul E Turney	Votes 3
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## A true Copy Attest

Jason Sears Town Clerk
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## State Election November 4th 1930

Polls open at 10 Oclock a m. Ballot clerks sworn in

Ballot Clerks Dennis O'Brien, Dem - Alfred A Carter, Rep

The Polls were closed at 4 p.m. and Ballots counted by Dennis O'Brien,

Alfred A Carter - Henry Dodd - Frank E Hawley

80 Ballots cast - as follows

## Governor

John W Alken	Votes	3	Blanks	77
Frank G Allen	"	45	"	35
Harry J Canter	"	0	"	80
Joseph B Ely	"	31	"	69
Alfred Baker Laurs	"	0	"	80

## Lieutenant Governor

Strabo V Glaggett	Votes	29	Blanks	61
Maria C Goucia	"	0	"	80
Stephen J Surridge	"	1	"	79
Edith A Williams	"	2	"	78
William Sterling Youngman	"	42	"	46

## Secretary

Daniel T Blessington	Votes	1	Blanks	79
Frederick W Cook	"	41	"	39
Albert Sprague Coolidge	"	6	"	74
James W Dawson	"	2	"	78
Chester J O'Brien	"	26	"	54

## Treasurer

Fred Jefferson Burrell	Votes	32	Blanks	48
Eva Hoffman	"	3	"	77
Charles F Hurley	"	35	"	45
Walter S Hutchins	"	3	"	77
Charles S Orem	"	1	"	79

## Auditor

Alonzo B Cook	Votes	40	Blanks	40
Harry Fieldman	"	3	"	77
Frank X Hurley	"	28	"	52
Albert Oddie	"	0	"	80
Fred E Oelcher	"	1	"	79

## Attorney General

Morris I Becker	Votes	4	Blanks	76
John W Janhonen	"	0	"	80
John Weaver Sherman	"	2	"	78
Harold W Sullivan	"	26	"	54
Joseph E Warner	"	42	"	38

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## Senator in Congress

William M Butler	Votes	47	Blanks	33
Marcus A Coolidge	"	25	"	55
Oscar Kinsalas	"	2	"	78
Max Lerner	"	0	"	80
Sylvester J McBride	"	1	"	79

## Congressman

Hugh McLean	Votes	15	Blanks	65
Allen T Treadway	"	52	"	28

## Councillor

George D Chamberlain	Votes	39	Blanks	41
Joseph P Mahoney	"	29	"	51



## Senator

Frederick E Judd	Votes	42	Blanks	38
Thomas H Stepleton	"	30	"	50

## Representative General Court

W Taylor Day	Votes	27	Blanks	53
George H Fuller	"	14	"	66

## District Attorney

Charles R Glason	Votes	40	Blanks	40
Thomas F Moriarty	"	28	"	52

## Register of Probate and Insolvency

William S Morton	Votes	54	Blanks	26
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## County Commissioner

John Henderson	Votes	52	Blanks	28
Richard A Ruether	"	22	"	58

## Associate Commissioners

Deland P Jenks	Votes	38	Blanks	42
James H Punderson	"	47	"	33

## County Treasurer

Angeline S Martin	Votes	47	Blanks	33
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## Question No 1

Yes	24
No	27

## Question No 2

Yes	35
No	27

## Question No 3

Yes	33
No	23

Attest A True Copy

Jason Sears

Town Clerk of Sandisfield Mass

## Town Warrant for 1931

Commonwealth of Massachusetts Berkshire S.S.

To Joseph O'Brien Constable of the Town of Sandisfield

## Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town of Sandisfield qualified to vote in Election and Town Affairs to meet at the Town Hall, Monday March 9th 1931, at ten o'clock A.M. for the following purposes. Viz:

Article 1 To choose a Moderator

Article 2 To vote by ballot for Town Officers and terms thereof as follows

One Town Clerk for the term of one year

One Town Treasurer for the term of One year

Three Selectmen for the term of one year

One Assessor for the term of three years

One Library Trustee for the term of Three years

Two Constables for the term of one year

One School Committee for the term of three years

Article 3 To choose all the necessary Town Officers not mentioned in article 2

Article 4 To hear the report of the Town Officers and act thereon

Article 5 To the Collection of Taxes in 1931 and to pass any vote that may be necessary.

Article 6 To choose any committee or agents for the Town and to give them instructions and authority

Article 7 To act upon the Jury List as presented by the Selectmen





- 394 Article 8 To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary to pay the Expenses of the various Town departments - General Government - Unclassified - Health Department - Inspection of Animals - Inspection of Slaughters - Highways - Repair of Bridges - Opening Roads in Winter - Support of Schools - Charity - Insurance Workmens Compensation Act - Public Library - Interest - Fires - Contingent fund and for any other purpose that may be necessary
- Article 9 To see if the Town will vote to buy bonds for its bonded officers and to appropriate money for same
- 395 Article 10 To see if the Town will authorize the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning Janusry 1st 1931, and to issue a note or notes thereof payable within one year. Any debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the revenue of said financial year
- Article 11 To see if the Town will vote to continue the improvement of the Montville road and to appropriate money for same to be used under the provisions of Chapter 90
- Article 12 To see if the Town will vote to open the East New Boston School
- Article 13 To see what the Town will vote or say about the back Taxes

The polls will be open at ten o'clock A.M. and may be closed at three O'Clock P.M. and you are directed to serve this warrant by posting true and attested copies thereof in three public places within the Town of Sandisfield, Seven days at least before the time of said meeting hereof fail not and make due returns of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at or before the time of holding said meeting

Given under our hands at Sandisfield this 23 day of February 1931

Henry F Dodd )Selectmen  
Frank E Hawley) of  
Jason Sears )Sandisfield

A true copy attest  
Joseph O'Brien  
Constable of Sandisfield

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# Town Meeting March 9th 1931

- Town Meeting called to order and warrant read by the Town Clerk Jason Sears
- Art 1 First voted for Moderator Frank E Hawley was elected  
Ballot Clerks Dennis O'Brien Dem and Alfred A Carter Rep
- Art 2 Town Reports accepted
- Art 3 No extra Town officers elected
- Art 4 Reports given by the Town Officers and passed on
- Art 5 Voted to have William W Smith for Tax Collector for 1931 and to rec a salary of \$600.00 Six hundred dollars for same
- Art 6 Voted to be left in the hands of the Selectmen
- Art 7 Voted to accept the Jury list as presented by the Selectmen
- Art 8 Voted to raise such sums of money as may be necessary as follows  
General Government to use the left over and voted to raise \$1600.00  
Sixteen Hundred dollars - Voted to raise \$50.00) Fifty dollars for  
Miscellaneous - Voted to raise \$225.00) Two hundred and Twenty five  
dollars and some left over for Inspection of Slaughters and Animals-  
Highways Chapter 81 Voted to raise (\$2,000.00) Two thousand dollars;  
Bridges Voted to use the left over from last years; Voted to raise  
(\$1,000.00) One Thousand dollars and some left over from last years



funds for Snow Removal; Charity Support of Poor Voted to raise \$300.00) Three hundred dollars; Insurance Workmens Compensation Act Voted to raise \$500.00) Five hundred dollars; Public Library Voted to use the Dog fund; Fires all kinds Voted to raise \$500.00 Five hundred dollars for same and in calling Otis for help to give the Otis Firemen a certain amount for each trip - no amount mentioned; but left in the hands of the Selectmen to state the amount to be given to the Otis Fire boys for each trip to Sandisfield Voted to raise for Schools \$14,000.00) Fourteen Thousand dollars. School Committees use from the School funds; Voted to raise \$5.00 for Soldiers Decoration day to decorate the Graves; Interest Voted to raise \$500.00) Five Hundred dollars; Treasurers Salary same as last year Voted \$15.00) Fifteen dollars

William W Smith takes the Cemeteries to mow for \$50.00) Fifty dollars all of them in Sandisfield Voted to accept the offer

Art 10 Voted by the Town that the Town Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen be and hereby is authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1st 1931, and to issue a note or notes thereof payable within one year any debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the revenue of said financial year.

Voted by the Town - Field Drivers

Mattie Riiska	South Sandisfield
Arthur Spring	New Boston
Samuel Steinburg	Town Hill

Voted by the Town for Fence Viewers

Owen Hartshorn  
Frederick P Whitney  
Howard Spring

Jurors for 1931

Giles D Beller	Harry Rogers
Alfred A Carter	William W Smith
Owen A Hartshorn	Frederick P Whitney
John B Kimberley	Charles Wells

Voted by the Town - To be left in the hands of the Selectmen to appoint a Superintendent of Highways

Art 11 Voted by the Town to raise \$1000.00 for Montville road Chapter 90 for hard surface to finish what has been done of other years also \$1,000.00 left over to be used making \$2,000.00 in all

Attest a true copy

Jason Sears  
Town Clerk  
Sandisfield

March 9th 1931





398 A list of Appropriations for 1931

Smith Collection of Taxes 1931	\$600.00
General Government	\$16 00.00
Miscellaneous	\$50.00
Inspection of Slaughters & Animals	\$225.00
Highways	\$2000 00
Bridges use left over	
Opening Roads Snow	\$1000 00
Poor Charity	\$300.00
Insurance Workmens Compensation Act	\$500 00
Fires	\$500 00
Bonded Officers	\$50.00
Montville road Chapter 90	\$1000 00
Schools	\$14000.00
Flags	\$5 00
Interest	\$500 00
Cemetaries	\$50 00
	<u>\$22,380.00</u>

Twenty two thousand three hundred and Eighty dollars

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Town Officers Votes at Town Meeting held March 9th 1931

75 Votes or Ballots cast

Town Clerk for one year

Jason Sears	Votes	66	Blanks	9
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Town Treasurer for one year

Anna C Willetts	Votes	68	"	7
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Selectmen for one year

Henry F Dodd	Votes	57	"	18
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Jason Sears	"	52	"	23
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Frank E Hawley	"	57	"	18
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Howard R Hyde	"	22	"	53
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Assessor for Three years

Alfred C Carter	Votes	61	Blanks	14
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Constable for one year

William Klingler	"	19	"	56
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Charles Wells	"	34	"	41
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Harry Rogers	"	39	"	46
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Joseph O'Brien	"	38	"	32
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School Committee for Three years

Gertrude M Carter	Votes	66	Blanks	9
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Library Trustee for three years

Emily J Clark	Votes	60	Blanks	15
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Auditor for one year

Gertrude M Carter	Votes	63	Blanks	12
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399 Art 12 A vote by the Town for the School Committee to do as they see fit about opening the East New Boston School

Selectmen met at Henry Dodds March 11th 1931 and organized as follows -

Henry Dodd Chairman and appointed Road Superintendent

Inspection of Slaughters - Joseph O'Brien Howard Spring Alfred Mull

Joseph O'Brien inspector of Animals

Wesley E Deming Sealer of Weights & Measures

Attest Jason Sears Town Clerk



Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
Berkshire S.S.

To Joseph O'Brien Constable of the Town of Sandisfield

Greeting

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town of Sandisfield qualified to vote in this Special Town Meeting for said Town affairs as follows To be held at the Town Hall on May 1931 from 2 o'clock P M to 4 o'clock P M

This meeting is called by the Selectmen of Sandisfield to see what can be done about Insurance, repair of Tractor, Charity and Dogs and for any other purpose that may come or be necessary at said meeting.

Given under our hands at Sandisfield this 18th day of May 1931 Monday

Henry F Dodd ) Selectmen  
Frank E Hawley) of  
Jason Sears ) Sandisfield

Special Town Meeting

Meeting called to order by Jason Sears 2 o'clock P M 1931 May 25 1931  
Mr Hawley Moderator most of the voting was by Ballot box

Voted compensation act Insurance Voted to raise \$382.59  
Gas Tractor and Repairs of Tractor Snow bill all items Voted to pay at the sum of \$1,109 63  
Charity Voted to raise \$500.00  
Dogs Voted for the dog owners to pay the Constable if the Constable has to come and collect the dog tax

Attest a True Copy

Jason Sears Town Clerk

Henry F Dodd ) Selectmen  
Frank E Hawley) of  
Jason Sears ) Sandisfield

Town Warrant 1932

Commonwealth of Massachusetts Berkshire S.S.

To Joseph O'Brien Constable of the Town of Sandisfield

Greeting:

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Article 1 To choose a Moderator

Article 2 To vote by ballot for Town Officers and terms thereof as follows:

One Town Clerk for one year

One Town Treasurer for one year

Three Selectmen for the term of one year

One Assessor for the term of Three years

One Library Trustee for Three years

Two Constables for the term of one year

One Auditor for the term of one year

Article 3 To choose all necessary Town Officers not mentioned in Article 2

Article 4 To hear the report of the Town officers and act thereon





- 402 Article 5 To the Collection of Taxes in 1932 and to pass any vote that  
may be necessary.
- Article 6 To choose any Committee or agents for the Town and to give  
them instructions and authority
- Article 7 To act upon the Jury list as presented by the Selectmen
- Article 8 To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary  
to pay the expenses of the various Town Departments  
General Government - Unclassified - Health Department - Inspection  
of Animals - Inspection of Slaughters - Repair of Highways - Repair  
of Bridges - Opening Roads in Winter - Support of Schools - Charity  
Insurance Workmens Compensation Act - Public Library - Interest -  
Fires - Contingent fund and for any other purpose that may be  
necessary -
- Article 9 To see if the Town will vote to buy bonds for its Bonded  
Officials and to appropriate money for same
- Article 10 To see if the Town will authorize the Treasurer with the Approval  
of the Selectmen to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of  
the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1st 1932, and to  
issue a note or notes thereof payable within one year, any debt or  
debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the revenue of said  
financial year
- 403 Article 11 To see if the Town will vote to continue the improvement of the  
Montville road and to appropriate money for same to be used under  
the provisions of Chapter 90
- Article 12 To see what the Town will vote or say about the back Taxes
- Article 13 To see if the Town will vote to pay Joseph Rowley for Snow work  
in West Street, a bill of \$69.00 in 1931
- Article 14 To see what shall be done with the Dog Tax of 1931 that is  
left over
- Article 15 To see if the Town will vote to have the valuation of the Town  
printed in report book
- Article 16 To see if the Town will vote to change the date of Town Meeting
- Article 17 To see if the Town will vote on the Old Age assistance law -
- Article 18 To take a vote on a committee for School building or other  
purposes
- Article 18 To see if the Town will vote to buy a new Tractor and Snow plow
- Article 19 To see if the Town will vote to have a Superintendent of Highways

The polls will be open at ten o'clock A M and may be closed at Three O'clock P.M.  
and you are directed to serve this warrant by posting true and attested copies  
thereof in three public places within the Town of Sandisfield seven days at least  
before the time of said meeting hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant  
with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at or before the time of holding said  
meeting.

Given under our hands at Sandisfield this 23rd day of February 1932

Henry F Dodd )  
Frank E Hawley )  
Jason Sears )

A True copy attest  
Joseph O'Brien  
Constable of Sandisfield

Attest a true copy  
Jason Sears Town Clerk of Sandisfield



Town warrant read by Jason Sears Town Clerk

Ballot Clerks Dennis O'Brien Democrat

Samuel Wilber Republican Both took oath

The polls were open at 10:30 am

Frank E Hawley chosen Moderator Article 1

Article 2 to 4 passed No vote

Article 5 William Smith Voted by the Town for the collection of Taxes  
year of 1932

Article 6 Passed

Article 7 Jury List accepted - Town Reports accepted

Article 8 General Government Voted to raise \$1600.00

Unclassified Voted to raise \$50 00

Health - Inspection of Animals & Slaughterters, all at \$200 00

Highways Town roads Chapter 81 Voted to raise \$2000 00

Montville Road Voted to raise by the Town Chapter 90 \$2000 00

Bridges Voted to raise \$500 00

Snow opening roads in winter Voted to raise \$500 00

Support of School Voted to raise \$13,500 00

Charity and Old Age Assistance law \$1250 00

Insurance Workmens Compensation \$500 00

Library use the Dog fund

Interest Voted to raise \$400 00

Bonded officers Voted to raise \$50 00

Cemetaries all for William Smith care for Voted \$50 00

Flags Voted by the Town to raise \$5 00

Contingent fund also for Fires and other purposes \$500 00

Tractor nest egg for Machinery all machines Voted \$200 00

Voted for the Selectmen to appoint a road Superintendent

Also for the Selectmen to do as they see fit about back Taxes

Article 15 Passed No vote

Article 16 Voted by the Town to change the date of Town Meeting to February

Article 17 Old age assistance Law Voted Yes 31 - No 21

Repair of Schools or repair Passed

405 Article 13 Voted by the Town not to pay Joseph Rowley for Snow work in 1931  
a bill of \$69.00 Voted down

Article 10 Voted by the Town that the Town Treasurer with the approval of  
the Selectmen be and hereby is authorized to borrow money from time  
to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year begin-  
ing January 1st 1932, and to issue a note or notes thereof payable  
within one year any debt or debts incurred under this vote to be  
paid from the revenue of said financial year

Voted by the Town to close the polls at 3 o'clock P M and ballots counted by  
Harry Rogers - Henry F Dodd - Jason Sears

The results were as follows

Town Clerk			
Jason Sears	57	Blanks	33
Charlotte B Whitney	29	Blanks	61
Town Treasurer			
Annie C Willetts	79	Blanks	11
Selectmen			





405	Selectmen			
	Henry F Dodd	60	Blanks	30
	Jason Sears	52	Blanks	38
	Frank E Hawley	71	"	19
	Frederick P Whitney	24	"	66
	Howard R Hyde	28	"	62
	Assessor for Three years			
	William Klingler	44	"	46
	Owen A Hartshorn	41	"	49
	School Committee for Three years			
	Paul Knapp	44	Blanks	46
	Ada Wells	41	"	49
	Library Trustee for Three years			
	Amenia Crocker	55	"	35
	Sarah L Ives	23	"	67
	Constable for One year			
	Joseph O'Brien	62	"	28
	Harry Rogers	56	"	34
	Charles Wells	39	"	51
	Arthur Spring	29	"	61
	Auditor for One year			
	Emily J Clark	53	"	37
	Gertrude M Carter	29	"	61

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 Selectmen at the Town Clerks Office March 10, 1932 organized and the results were as follows

Joseph O'Brien was appointed Animal inspector

Approved by State March 15th 1932

Inspector of Slaughters

Joseph O'Brien

Alfred Mull

Howard Spring

Field Drivers

Matt Riiska S Sandisfield

Arthur Spring New Boston

Samuel Steinburg Montville

Fence Viewers

Owen Hartshorn

Frederick P Whitney

Howard Spring

Sealer of Weights and Measures

Joseph O'Brien

Tree Warden

Henry F Dodd

Fire Superintendent

John B Kimberley

Henry F Dodd appointed Chairman of the Selectmen and Road Superintendent

Attest Jason Sears

Town Clerk of

Sandisfield Mass

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## THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Berkshire ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Sandisfield

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town who are qualified to vote in Primaries to meet in

Tuesday, the Twenty-sixth day of April, 1932,  
at 10 o'clock A.M., for the following purposes

To bring in their votes to the Primary Officers for the Election of Candidates of Political Parties for the following offices:

4 DELEGATES AT LARGE to the National Convention of the Republican Party  
4 ALTERNATE DELEGATES AT LARGE to the National Convention of the Republican Party  
12 DELEGATES AT LARGE to the National Convention of the Democratic Party  
12 ALTERNATE DELEGATES AT LARGE to the National Convention of the Democratic Party  
2 DISTRICT DELEGATES to the National Convention of the Republican Party  
2 ALTERNATE DISTRICT DELEGATES to the National Convention of the Republican Party  
2 DISTRICT DELEGATES To the National Convention of the Democratic Party  
2 ALTERNATE DISTRICT DELEGATES to the National Convention of the Democratic Party

The polls will be open from 10 A.M. to 2 P.M.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting attested copies thereof 7 days at least before the time of said meeting as directed by vote of the town.

Hereof fail not and make return of this warrant with your doings thereon at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this 16th day of April, A.D. 1932

A true copy, Attest

Joe O'Brien Constable

Sandisfield April 16 1932

Henry F Dodd )

Frank E Hawley )

P R )

Jason Sears )

Selectmen of  
Sandisfield

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## Sandisfield Town Hall

State Primary was held Tuesday April 26, 1932 - The Vote was as follows  
Republican Party

George F Booth 2 votes

William M Butler 2 "

Alvan T Fuller 2 "

Mary Pratt Potter 2 "

Alternate at large

Frank G Allen 2 votes

Gaspar G Bacon 2 "

Leverett Saltonstall 2 "

Louise M Williams 2 "

District Delegate First District

Denis T Noonan 2 votes

Harry E Putnam 2 "

William F Whiting 2 "

Alternate District Delegate

First District

Margaret B Barnard 2 votes

Elizabeth R Judd 2 "





409 Democratic Vote Del at Large

James M Curley	0
James Roosevelt	0
James H Brennan	1
Thomas F Cassidy	0
James T Moriarty	0
Edward A McLaughlin	0
Prince Robechar	0
Joseph Santosnosso	0
Nellie L Sullivan	0
Joseph J Hawley	0
Paul H Hines	0
Joseph H Hankeu	0
Group 2	
David I Walsh	12
Joseph B Ely	0
Marcus A Coolidge	0
William J Foley	0
William P Connery J.R.	0
John J Doubllass	0
John W McCormack	0
William J Granfield	0
Mary L Bacigalupo	0
Helen G Rotch	0
John F Fitzgerald	0
Not Grouped	
Rowland D Sawyer	2 votes
Alternative Delegates at large	
Helen G Galvan	0
Dorothy Whipple Fry	0
Edward G Morris	0
Mabel R Worthy	0
Agnes H Parker	0
Francis J W Ford	0
Eugene Wambaugh	0
Alice E Gram	0
Arthur W Heidke	0
Frances E Zaletskaa	0
Matthew P Maney	0
M Grace Barry	0
Group 2	
William G Thompson	0
Edward R Barry	0
John C Mahoney	0
Charles H Slowey	0
Mary H Ward	0
J Henry Gognen	0
Samuel Kaleaky	0
Charles F Riordan	0
J Leo Sullivan	0
John P Buckley	0
Leo M Bburningham	0
Daniel F O Connell	0
District Delegates First District	
Hugh McLearn	5 votes

Michael E Troy	4 votes
Group No 2	
Frank Hurley	1 vote
Francis P Clark	1 "
Not grouped	
John S Begley	2 "
James T Cleary J.R.	2 "
Alternative District Del First Dist	
John C Roe	3 votes
Edward J Simmons	1 "
Group 2	
Edward L Fitzgerald	2 votes
Louis H Prevost	2 "
Not grouped	
Mary E Driscoll	3 votes

Attest A true copy  
 Jason Sears  
 Town Clerk of  
 Sandisfield Mass

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Town of Sandisfield Mass

I respectfully submit my resignation as School Committee in the Town of Sandisfield  
Resignation to be in effect September 10th 1932

Signed Ada H Rowley

Sandisfield Mass September 20, 1932

Jason Sears Town Clerk - Town of Sandisfield

Sandisfield Mass

Dear Sir I herewith submit my resignation as a member of the School Committee  
of the Town of Sandisfield

Respt yours

Gertrude M Carter

Sandisfield Mass

September 22, 1932

Appointed by the Selectmen for Frank E Hawley and Jason Sears to be School Committee  
for the rest of the year ending Feb 1933

Signed - Selectmen of Sandisfield

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Primaries held September 20 1932

Polls open 10 am closed 2 P M

50 votes cast for Republicans

3 " " " Democrats

total in all 53

Ballot Clerks

The vote was as follows

Republican Side

Samuel Wilber Rep

Dennis O'Brien Dem

Governor

Walter E Brownell

4 votes

Frank A Goodwin

16 "

E Mark Sullivan

4 "

William Sterling Youngman

17 "

Lieutenant Governor

Gaspar G Bacon

21 votes

Chester I Bacon

11 "

Secretary

Frederick W Cook

34 votes

Treasurer

Francis Prescott

29 votes

Max Elin

5 "

Auditor

Emerson Johnson Caldwell

15 votes

Alonzo B Cook

19 "

Attorney General

Joseph E Warner

33 votes

Congressman

Allen T Treadway

41 votes

Councillor

J Arthur Baker

21 votes

Nicholas G V Nestor

3 "

Whitfield Reid

5 "

Raymond B Shattuck

1 "

Thomas P Shea

4 "

Senator





413	Senator	
	Edwin L Olander	9 votes
	Frederick L Parker	18 "
	Harry B Putnam	1 "
	Charles H Shaylor	12 "
	Representative in General Court	
	Zachens H Cande	4 votes
	W Taylor Day	5 "
	Heyliger de Windt	2 "
	William L Dubois	31 "
	L Edward Stoebener	6 "
	County Commissioners Berkshire	
	Edward Barnard	2 votes
	Frederick H Purches	4 "
	Robert S Tillotson	36 "
	Philip A Wilkinson	7 "
	William H Young	9 "
	Sheriff Berkshire County	
	William A Ford	2 votes
	Thomas S L Kletchka	10 "
	Charles J Koch	0 "
	Thomas E MacDonald	2 "
	James Bruce McIntyre	2 "
	John Nicholson	29 "
	John J Thompson	2 "
	State Committee	
	Mary P Bailey	32 votes

414 Democrat Side 3 votes cast

	Governor	
	Joseph B Ely	1 vote
	Lieutenant Governor	
	Edward P Barry	0 votes
	David J Brickly	0 "
	Raymond A Fitzgerald	1 "
	William I Hennessey	0 "
	Francis E Kelly	1 "
	John F Malley	0 "
	Michael C O'Neil	0 "
	John E Swift	0 "
	Secretary	
	John F Buckley	2 votes
	J Edward Callanan	0 "
	John W Cussen	0 "
	Arthur G Flynn	0 "
	George F Ghbody	0 "
	George F Grogan	0 "
	Edward J Gurry	0 "
	John D O'Brien	0 "
	Joseph Santosnosso	0 "
	Ray H Shattuck	0 "
	Charles R Sullivan	0 "
	Henry J Sullivan	0 "
	Treasurer	
	Charles F Hurley	3 votes



414	Auditor		
	John E Buckley	0	votes
	John J Harrington	0	"
	Francis X Hurley	0	"
	Alfred J More	1	"
	Leo A Spillane	0	"
415	Attorney General		
	John P Buckley	2	votes
	Harry E Casey	0	"
	Daniel J Dempsey	0	"
	William R Scharton	0	"
	Harold W Sullivan	0	"
	Raymond E Sullivan	0	"
	Congressman		
	Thomas F Cassidy	1	vote
	George E Haggerty	0	"
	William A O'Hearn	0	"
	Samuel A York	0	"
	Councillor		
	John S Begley	1	vote
	William J Carney	0	"
	Joseph T Gibson	0	"
	Justus G Hanson	0	"
	Joseph E Lynch	0	"
	James P Mahoney	0	"
	Senator		
	Francis C McKenna	0	votes
	John J Prokop	0	"
	Thomas H Stapleton	1	"
	Representative in General Court		
	George Henry Tinker	1	vote
	County Commissioners		
	James M Coughlin	2	votes
	Thomas H Daly	0	"
	Paul V Fleming	0	"
	William H Hefferman	1	"
	Lawrence F Lyons	0	"
	Michael E Troy	0	"
	Sheriff		
	Frank T Coughlin	2	votes
	Daniel William Dunn	0	"
	Thomas E Enright	0	"
	Bernard D Garvey	0	"
	James T Goggins	0	"
	James M Lilly	0	"
	Herman H Shutz	0	"
	State Committee		
	Edward J Simmons	1	vote

Attest a true copy  
 Jason Sears  
 Town Clerk





Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
Berkshire ss

To John O'Brien Constable of the town of Sandisfield: Greeting,

You are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the town of Sandisfield qualified to vote in elections and town affairs to meet at the town hall in said Sandisfield on Saturday the 26th day of November 1932 at 2 o'clock P M to act on the following articles:

- Art 1 To raise money for schools, old age assistance, insurance and for any other town charges
- Art 2 To see if the town will vote to buy ice claws and repair the old tractor
- Art 3 To see if the town will appropriate money to purchase a new tractor and snow plow and determine the manner in which the money shall be raised

Given under our hands at Sandisfield this 17th day of November 1932

Henry F Dodd ) Selectmen  
Frank E Hawley ) of  
Jason Sears ) Sandisfield  
Nov 17 1932

I have served the above warrant by posting an attested copy thereof at the post offices and town hall of said Sandisfield, seven days at least before the time of said meeting

Joseph O'Brien  
Constable of Sandisfield

417 A true copy attest  
Town Clerk of Sandisfield

Pursuant to the foregoing warrant the voters met at the time and place stated in said warrant and transacted the following business:

- Art 1 Voted from free cash the following appropriations:
 

Schools	\$2000.
Welfare	900.
Comp Ins	36.87
Snow roads	300
- Art 2 Voted from free cash \$300
- Art 3 Voted an appropriation of \$5090. for new tractor and snow plow, \$1590 of said appropriation from Surplus Revenue, \$500 from machinery earnings, and the balance of \$3000 to be borrowed according to the provisions of Chapter 44 General Laws. The check list was used the vote being 37 Yes 5 No

Voted to adjourn

Jason Sears  
Town Clerk



CANVASS OF VOTES  
For REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT NO. 5

Berkshire, ss.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

The undersigned, clerks of the several towns comprising the Representative District No. Five (5), in said County, met at the Town Clerk's office in Great Barrington, at twelve O'Clock noon, on Friday, the 18th day of November, 1932, and hereby certify that they did then and there examine all the attested copies of the records of the votes of the aforementioned towns at their several meetings on Tuesday, November eighth, 1932, the result being as follows:.

The whole number of votes cast was 5012

Name	Great Barrington	Stockbridge	Sheffield	West Stockbridge	Egremont	Alford	Mt. Washington	Sandisfield	New Marlboro	Monterey	Total
Zacheus H. Cande of Sheffield	1104	426	387	228	112	49	20	53	214	2687	94
George Henry Tinker of Egremont	1265	313	157	208	131	43	18	50	109	2325	31

And the said Zacheus H. Cande of Sheffield was declared elected

(Attest)

Edward Kelly  
Adam Schilling  
Henry C Clark  
Thomas P Fallon  
Chas Wm Dutcher  
Frank Kline

Frank M Harmon

Town Clerk of Great Barrington  
Town Clerk of Stockbridge  
Town Clerk of Sheffield  
Town Clerk of West Stockbridge  
Town Clerk of Egremont  
Town Clerk of Alford  
Town Clerk of Mount Washington  
Town Clerk of Sandisfield  
Town Clerk of New Marlboro  
Town Clerk of Monterey





419 State Election held at Sandisfield Tuesday November 8th 1932  
 Polls open at 10 Oclock A M closed 6 P M 127 votes cast one blank  
 The results were as follows

President and Vice President			
Foster & Ford Communist Party	Votes		3
Hoover & Curtis Rep "	"		63
Reynolds & Aiken Socialist Party	"		0
Roosevelt & Garner Dem "	"		57
Thomas & Maurer Socialist Party	"		4
Mpshaw & Regan Prohibition Party	"		4
Governor			
John B Ballam Communist party	Votes		0
Joseph B Ely Dem "	"		51
Alfred Baker Lewis Socialist "	"		2
Charles S Oram Socialist Labor "	"		1
William Sterling Youngman Rep "	"		56
Lieutenant Governor			
Gaspar G Bacon Rep	Votes		40
Morris I Becker Socialist Labor	"		1
James W Dawson Communist Party	"		1
Walter S Hutchins Socialist Party	"		2
John E Swift Dem	"		45
Secretary			
John F Buckley Dem	Votes		44
Frederick W Cook Rep	"		55
Albert S Coolidge Socialist Party	"		6
Max Leamer Communist party	"		0
Albert S Watterman Socialist Labor	"		0
Treasurer			
Dominico A Digisolamo Soc Labor	Votes		2
Eva Hoffman Communist party	"		0
Charles P Hurley Dem	"		5
Frances Prescott Rep	"		5
Glen Trimble Socialist party	"		3
420 Auditor			
Jule Babbitt Communist party	Votes		0
Daniel T Blunington Soc Labor	"		1
Alonzo B Cook Rep	"		50
David A Elsenberg Soc Party	"		2
Francis X Hurley Dem	"		52
Attorney General			
John P Buckley Dem	Votes		42
Maria C Coueia Com Party	"		1
Fred E Oelcher Soc Party	"		1
George E Roewer Soc Party	"		1
William R Scharton Independent	"		0
Joseph E Warner Rep	"		56
Congressman first District			
Thomas F Cassidy Dem	Votes		29
Allen T Treadway Rep	"		76
Paul C Wicks Soc party	"		2
Councillor Eight District			
Arthur Baker Rep	Votes		61
James P Mahoney Dem	"		34
Senator Berkshire, Hampshire, Hampden District			



420	Senator Berkshire, Hampshire, Hampden District			
	Harold U Faulkner	Soc Party	Votes	6
	Francis C McKenna	Dem	"	40
	Harry P Putnam	Rep	"	54
	Representative General Court 5 District Berkshire			
	Zacheus H Cande	Rep	Votes	53
	George Henry Tinker	Dem	"	50
	County Commissioners Berkshire County			
	James M Coughlin	Dem	Votes	18
	Frederick H Purches	Rep	"	40
	Robert S Tillotson	Rep	"	75
	Michael E Troy	Dem	"	58
421	Sheriff Berkshire County			
	James M Lilly	Dem	"	35
	James Bruce McIntyre	Rep	"	67
	Question No 1			
	Yes			20
	No			24
	Question No 2			
	Yes			24
	No			14
	Question No 3			
	Yes			32
	No			16

Attest

Jason Sears Town Clerk

422

Town Meeting February 13th 1933

For the year of 1933

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts Berkshire S.S.

To the Constable of the Town of Sandisfield

Greeting

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town of Sandisfield qualified to vote in Election and Town affairs to meet at the Town Hall Monday February 13th 1933, at ten o'clock A M for the following purposes. Viz

Article 1. To choose a Moderator

Article 2 To Vote by ballot for Town officers and terms as follows.

One Town Clerk for the term of One year

One Town Treasurer for the term of One year

Three Selectmen for the term of One year

One Assessor for the term of three years

One Library Trustee for the term of Three years

Two Constables for the term of One year

One Auditor for the term of One year

Two School Committee One for Three years and One for One year

Article 3 To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary to pay the expenses of the various Town Departments - General Government Unclassified - Health Department - Inspection of Animals - Inspection of Slaughters - Repair of Highways - Opening Roads in Winter - Support of Schools - Charity - Insurance Workmens Compensation Act - Public Library Interest - Fires - Contingent fund and for any other purpose that may be necessary





- 422 Article 4 To see if the Town will vote to buy bonds for its bonded officials and to appropriate money for same
- Article 5 To see if the Town will authorize the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1st 1933 and to issue a note or notes thereof payable within one year, any debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the revenue of said financial year
- 423 Article 6 To see if the Town will vote to continue the improvement of the Montville road and to appropriate money for same to be used under the provisions of Chapter 90. \$2000.00 should be raised
- Article 7 To see if the Town will vote to have Electric lights in the Town Hall and raise money for same
- Article 8 To see if the Town will vote to build a new fence at the Cemetery near Mrs. Goddard Duvoises. A board fence like the old one
- Article 9 To see if the Town will vote to have the Town Hall and State Chest of Standards covered by insurance
- Article 10 To see if the Town will vote to build a place for the new Tractor and Snow Flow
- Article 11 To act upon the jury list as presented by the Selectmen
- Article 12 About the Collection of Taxes in 1933
- Article 13 To see how the 1932 Dog tax shall be spent
- Article 14 To see if the Town will vote to buy some solding chairs for the Town Hall and raise \$60.00 for same

The polls will be open at ten o'clock a.m. and may be closed at three o'clock P M and you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting true and attested copies thereof in three public places within the Town of Sandisfield seven days at least before the time of said meeting hereof fail not and make due returns of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at or before the time of holding said meeting

Given under our hands at Sandisfield this 4th day of February 1933

Henry F Dodd ) Selectmen  
 Frank E Hawley ) of  
 Jason Sears ) Sandisfield

A true Copy attest

Joseph O'Brien  
 Constable of Sandisfield

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Town Meeting held February 13th 1933

The Warrant read by the Town Clerks assistance Miss Emily J Clark - The Polls were open for the voters to cast their votes at 10 a m

Art 1 And Mr Frank E Hawley was elected Moderator

The Polls were closed at 3 o'clock P M and the results were as follows

Art 2 One year Town Clerk

Jason Sears	74	votes	Blanks	13
One year Town Treasurer				
Mrs Annie C Willetts	77	Votes	"	10
One year Selectmen				
Henry F Dodd	80	"	"	3
Frank E Hawley	75	"	"	8
Jason Sears	72	"	"	11



Assessor for 3 years				
Howard Spring	63	Votes	Blanks	20
Wallace W Clark	21		"	62
School Committee for 3 years				
John B Kimberley	51		"	32
Jason Sears	31		"	52
School Committee for One year				
John B Kimberley	30		"	53
Mrs Flora E Sturk	48		"	35
Library Trustee for 3 years				
Sarah L Ives	21		"	62
Helen Clark	47		"	36
Constable for One year				
Joseph O'Brien	48		"	35
Charles Wells	53		"	30
George Sturk	38		"	45
Auditor for one year				
Emily J Clark	74		"	9

The Appropriation was as follows

- Art 4 Voted to raise for Bonded Officers \$50.00
- Article 5 Voted by the Town that the Town Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen be and hereby is authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January first 1933 and to issue a note or notes thereof payable within one year and debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the revenue of said financial year
- Article 6 Voted for Montville Road Chapter 90 \$2000.00
- Article 7 Voted to have Electric lights in Town Hall and raised \$100.00 for same
- Article 8 Voted to build a new fence of boards or board fence at Cemetery by Mrs Goddard Dubois and voted to raise \$100.00 for same
- Article 9 Voted to insure Town Hall and State Chest for \$3000.00
- Article 10 Voted to build a place for Tractor and raised \$200.00 for same
- Article 11 Voted to accept the Jury list of 1933 as presented by the Selectmen
- Article 12 Alfred Riiska collects the 1933 taxes for \$500.00
- Article 13 Voted to use the 1932 Dog tax for the Library
- Article 14 Voted and raised \$60.00 for folding chairs for the Town Hall
- |  |             |
|--|-------------|
| Voted and raised for Highways Chapter 81                                 | \$2050.00   |
| Voted and raised for repair of Bridges                                   | \$500 00    |
| Voted and raised for Opening Roads in Winter Snow                        | \$500 00    |
| Voted and raised for Workmens Insurance Compensation Act                 | \$550 00    |
| Voted and raised for General Government                                  | \$1500 00   |
| Voted and raised for Unclassified  | \$50 00     |
| Voted and raised for inspection of Slaughters and animalls               | \$250 00    |
| Voted and raised for Cemeteries  | \$100 00    |
| Voted and raised for Schools   | \$15,000 00 |
| Voted to raise for Fires to Otis Co \$25.00 for each trip to Sandisfield | \$200 00    |
| Voted to raise for Contingent fund                                       | \$500 00    |
| Voted to raise \$2500.00 for Charity & Old age                           |             |

Attest Jason Sears  
Town Clerk of Sandisfield





Commonwealth of Massachusetts Berkshire S S

To the Constable of the Town of Sandisfield

Greeting - In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town of Sandisfield qualified to vote in election and Town affairs to meet at the Town Hall Tuesday June 13th 1933 at ten O'Clock A M for the following purposes Viz

Article 1 To choose a Moderator

Article 2 To see if the Town will vote to raise \$500.00 for the Montville road and vote what to do with the Money taken in by the Town for Beer licenses -

Article 3 To see if the Town will vote to raise \$500.00 for interest to pay on Bank notes

Article 4 To see if the Town will vote to raise \$600.00 for Snow removal next Winter

Article 5 To see if the Town will vote to raise \$90.00 to pay insurance on the Town Hall and contents of State Chest and other things

Article 6 To see if the Town will vote to raise \$100.00 for Machinery and tools and for any other purpose that may come before said meeting -

These articles were not raised at our last Town meeting - The Polls will be open at Ten O'clock A M and may be closed at Three O'clock P M and you are directed to serve this warrant by posting true and attested copies thereof in Three public within the Town of Sandisfield Seven days at least before the time of said meeting hereof fail not and make due returns of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at or before the time of holding said meeting

Given under our hands at Sandisfield this 5th day of June 1933

Henry F Dodd ) Selectmen  
Frank E Hawley ) of  
Jason Sears ) Sandisfield

A true copy attest

Joseph O'Brien

Constable of Sandisfield

427 Town Meeting called to order by the Town Clerk June 13 1933

Warrant read by the Town Clerk

Article 1 Voted to have Owen Hartshorn for Moderator

Article 2 Voted to use the beer money for the Montville road if we get the money from the State and County with the approval of Mr Long

Article 3 Voted to raise \$500.00 for interest on Bank notes

Article 4 Voted to raise \$450.00 for Snow removal next winter

Article 5 Voted to raise \$90.00 for insurance on Town Hall and contents

Article 6 Voted to raise \$100.00 for Tools and Machinery

Meeting closed at 3 O'clock

Attest Jason Sears Town Clerk

August 2nd 1933

This is to certify that Charles Wells of New Boston Town of Sandisfield has been appointed Burial agent and he accepts the Office of same

Henry F Dodd ) Selectmen  
Frank E Hawley ) of  
Jason Sears ) Sandisfield



Special State Election  
Official Ballot for Sandisfield  
Tuesday June 13, 1933

The results were as follows

First Congressional District

Delegates Opposed to Ratification against Repeal

William L Dubois	6	Votes
Elizabeth R Judd	5	"
Verne L Smith	5	"

Delegates favoring Ratification for Repeal

Thomas F Bradley	59	Votes
Charles F Ely	60	"
James R Savory	60	"

Shall Licenses be granted in this Town for the sale therein of Wines and malt beverages	Yes	64
	No	7

Attest a true copy

Jason Sears Town Clerk

Town Meeting February 12, 1934

Commonwealth of Massachusetts Berkshire S S

To the Constable of the Town of Sandisfield

Greetings:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town of Sandisfield qualified to vote in election and town affairs to meet at the Town Hall Monday, February 12th. 1934 at 10 o'clock A M for the following purposes, viz:

Article 1 To choose a moderator

To vote by ballot for Town Officers and terms thereof as follows

- One Town Clerk for the term of one year
- One Town Treasurer for the term of one year
- Three Selectmen for term of one year
- One Assessor for the term of three years
- One Library Trustee for the term of three years
- Two Constables for the term of one year
- One Auditor for the term of one year
- One School Committee for three years
- License for Liquor wine & beer

Article 2 To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary

to pay the expenses of the various Town Departments - General Government  
Unclassified - Health Department - Inspection of Animals - Inspection of  
Slaughters - Repair of Highways - Repair of Bridges - Opening Roads in  
winter - Support of Schools - Charity - Insurance Workmen's Compensation  
Act - Public Library - Interest - Fires - Contingent fund for any other  
purpose that may be necessary or come before said meeting





- 429 Article 3 To see if the Town will vote to buy bonds for its bonded officials and to appropriate money for same
- 430 Article 4 To see if the Town will authorize the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1st 1934, and to issue a note or notes thereof payable within one year. Any debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the revenue of said financial year
- Article 5 To see if the Town will vote to continue the improvements of the Montville road and to appropriate money for same to be used under the provisions of Chapter 90. To see if the Town will vote to raise \$2000 for same
- Article 6 To see if the Town will vote to raise the Town Treasurer's salary
- Article 7 To see if the Town to vote to raise money for machinery
- Article 8 To see if the Town will vote for the Town people to use steel traps for taking of animals same as they used to befor the Anti-Steel Trap Law
- Article 9 To see if the Town will vote to corm in conjunction with other Towns a union health district in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 111 Section 27A of the General Laws
- Article 10 To see if the Town will vote for owners of property to bring in a list of property to the assessors and take oath to the same; those failing to so 10 per cent will be added to their list
- Article 11 To act upon the Jury list as presented by the Selectmen
- Article 12 To take a vote about the collection of Taxes in 1934
- Article 13 To see how the 1933 dog tax shall be spent

431 The polls will open at ten o'clock A M and may be closed at three o'clock P M and you are directed to serve this warrant by posting true and attested copies thereof in three public places within the town of Sandisfield, seven days at least before the time of said meeting hereof fail not and make due returns of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at or before the time of holding said meeting

Given under our hands at Sandisfield this third day of February 1934

Henry F Dodd ) Selectmen  
Frank E Hawley) of  
Jason Sears ) Sandisfield

A true copy attest  
Joseph O'Brien  
Constable of Sandisfield

Attest  
Jason Sears  
Town Clerk of Sandisfield  
Assistant  
Eva Granger Isleib

432 Town Meeting February 12th 1934

The meeting was called to order by the Town Clerk  
Town warrant read by the Town Clerk, and the Polls were open at 10 o'clock, And the Ballot clerks were Samuel Wilbur and Dennis O'Brien and Frank E Hawley was elected Moderator



432 And the results were as follows

Voted by the Town for General Government	\$1500.00
Unclassified, for inspection of Animals and Slaughters	\$250 00
Highways Chapter 81	\$1300 00
C.W.A.	\$400 00
County and State Montville Road	\$300 00
Bridges	\$1000 00
Open roads in winter snow	\$800 00
Charity	\$2500 00
Insurance compensation Act workmens	\$550 00
Public Library voted to use the 1933 dog tax	
Interest on Bank notes	\$400 00
Otis fire department voted to pay \$25.00 each trip	
Contingent fund	\$200 00
Schools	\$14500 00
Transportation no bill passed approved a vote from the town	
Bonded Officers of the Town	\$ 50 00

Article 4 Voted by the Town that the Town Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen be and hereby is authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1st 1934, and to issue a note or notes thereof payable within one year any debt or debts incurred under the vote to be paid from the revenue of said financial year

433 Article 5 Montville road Chapter 90, Voted to raise for same \$2000.00  
Article 6 Voted to raise Town Treasurers Salary \$ 100 00  
Article 7 Voted to raise money for Machinery \$ 200 00  
Article 8 Steel traps laws, for the Town to use them Voted Yes  
Article 9 Health District, Voted, Motion made by Ballot  
Yes 9 - No 52  
Article 10 List of Property remains as it is, No Vote  
Article 11 Jury list excepted for the year 1934 only Gustave Riiska takes the place of Wallace Clark

A vote by the Town to keep the court open in Lee Mass.  
The Rowley snow bill of \$69.00 voted by ballot Yes 17 No 24

Cemetaries \$50.00

Field Drivers

Mattie Riiska South Sandisfield Mass

Montville, Frank Robinson

New Boston Wallace W Clark

Voted by the Town any barny and mayoe for a pawn, as the Field drivers see fit

Alfred Riiska Bid off Taxes to collect for \$425.00 for 1934  
Bids rec in Ballot box

Attest Jason Sears

Town Clerk of Sandisfield

Asst - Eva Granger Isleib

434 Selectmen Organized February 17, 1934 at the Town Clerks office  
The results were as follows

Slaughters Howard Spring  
Joesph O'Brien





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## Animalls

Joseph O'Brien

## Fence Viewers

Howard Spring

Owen Hartshorn

Jason Sears

## Sealer of Weights &amp; Measures

Joseph O'Brien

## Tree Warden

Henry F Dodd

## Road Superintendent

Henry F Dodd

## Fire Warden

John B Kimberley

Attest Jason Sears

Town Clerk

Sandisfield

February 17, 1934

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February 12, 1934

A Vote as follows for the Officers

The total of votes cast February 12, 1934 were 120;

Town Clerk				
Jason Sears	101	votes	blanks	19
Town Treasurer				
Annie C Willetts	107	votes	blanks	13
Selectmen				
Henry F Dodd	97	votes	blanks	23
Jason Sears	94	"	"	26
Frank E Hawley	89	"	"	31
Howard Hyde	24	"	"	96
Wallace Clark Jr	21	"	"	99
Assessor for three years				
Owen Hartshorn	85	votes	blanks	45
School Committee for three years				
Margaret Sawtell	38	"	"	82
Mrs George Sturk	65	"	"	65
Library Trustee for three years				
Sarah L Ives	48	"	"	72
Emily J Clark	49	"	"	71
Constable for one year				
Joseph O'Brien	81	"	"	39
Charles A Wells	39	"	"	79
Wm. Klingler	50	"	"	70
Auditor for one year				
Emily J Clark	91	"	"	29

Beer No 1	votes 74 yes
" " "	votes 25 no

Beer No 2	votes 74 yea
" " "	" 25 no

Jason Sears Town Clerk  
Sandisfield Mass.



February 27, 1934  
Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Berkshire SS.

Pursuant to Chapter 180 of the Acts of the Legislature of 1933 authorizing and directing the County Commissioners of Berkshire County "to lay out a right of way in the Town of Sandisfield to Lake Marguerite also known as Simon Pond, in said Town, for public access to said lake in accordance with plans therefor approved by the Department of Public works and showing the locations and dimensions of such right of way" and to acquire land for the purpose of laying out such right of way by taking such land by eminent domain under Chapter 79 of the General laws, the County Commissioners on the 26th of September A D, 1933 ordered that notice be given to all persons interested therein to appear at a meeting of said Commissioners appointed to be holden in the Town Hall in said Sandisfield on Tuesday, the 17th day of October 1933 at 11:00 o'clock in the forenoon at which time and place said hearing was postponed to Tuesday, October 31, 1933 at 11 o'clock in the forenoon in said Town Hall in Sandisfield, at which time and place, it appearing that notice had been given in accordance with said order, the Board proceeded to hear all persons interested and the matter was then continued for further consideration from time to time and now on this 13th day of February, 1934, all objections previously made having been withdrawn, the Board does hereby lay out a right of way in said Town of Sandisfield to Lake Marguerite, also known as Simon Pond in said Town for public access to said Lake in accordance with a plan approved by the Department of Public Works of Massachusetts on November 24th 1933, filed in the Office of the Clerk of Courts of said County of Berkshire herewith and marked "Plan of a proposed right of way to Lake Marguerite, Town of Sandisfield, Berkshire County, Massachusetts, F. M. Lane, C.., November 1933" which right of way is described as follows:-

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of the Beach Hill Road, so called, leading northerly to the town of Sandisfield from North Colebrook which said point is 40 feet northerly of a brook which is the outlet of said Lake Marguerite and 1540 feet northerly from a monument on the state line the state of Massachusetts and the state of Connecticut; thence north 53 degrees 30 west, 70 feet along the center line of said right of way 50 feet in width; thence the following five courses and distances along the center line of said right of way 20 feet in width north 30 degrees west; 190.3 feet; thence north 57 degrees 32' west; 97 feet; thence north 42 degrees west 70 feet; thence north 8 degrees west, 52.2 feet; thence south 71 degrees 27' east, 10 feet to the north east corner of the right of way, 20 feet in width; thence north 18 degrees 33" east, 37.6 feet; thence north 86 degrees 33' west to the waters of Lake Marguerite; thence bounding on Lake Marguerite to a point where the bearing north 86 degrees 33' west from the northwest corner of said right of way, 20 feet in width, enters the waters of Lake Marguerite; thence south 86 degrees 33' east to the northeast corner of the aforementioned right of way, 20 feet in width, The total land described is 12,897 square feet. Said right of way herein described crosses land of the estate of Hannah M. McClave and reference is made to the plan above referred to for more particular description of the land herein described.

And an easement for all the purposes of said right of way for public access to said lake over and across the lands within the limits of said right of way as shown on said plan and within the limits of the same as above described, supposed to be owned by the Estate of Hannah M. McClave, is hereby taken.

For such taking damages to the estate of Hannah M. McClave (S. Wood McClave, Roscoe P. McClave, and John A. E. McClave, Executors and Trustees under the will of said Hannah M. McClave) late of Cliffside Park, County of Bergen, and State of New Jersey, are assessed in the sum of Five Hundred (\$500.00) Dollars.

In accordance with the provision of said Act it is determined that the damages





437 for said taking and all expenses incurred by the Commissioners in connection with the layout of said right of way shall be borne by the County of Berkshire. In all matters relating to said layout, except as to the notice of the time and place of hearing, James H. Punderson, Associate Commissioner, acted in place of Robert S. Tillotson.

John Henderson ) Commissioners  
Frederick H. Purches ) Associate  
James H. Punderson ) Commissioner  
Irving H. Gamwell, Clerk

Jason Sears, Town Clerk of Sandisfield

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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

To either of the Constables of the Town of Sandisfield, Mass.

In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town who are qualified to vote in Primaries to meet in

Tuesday; the Twenty fourth day of April, 1934 at o'clock M., for the following purposes; To bring in their votes to the Primary Officers for the Election of candidates of Political Parties for the following officers;

District Member of State Committee for each political party for the Senatorial District

Members of the Democratic Town Committee

Members of the Republican Town Committee.

Delegates to State Convention of the Democratic Party

Delegates to State Convention of the Republican Party

All the above candidates are to be voted for upon one ballot

The poles will be open from M.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof days at least before the time of said meeting as directed by vote of the Town Hereof fail not and make return of this warrant with your doings thereon at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this day of April A D 1934

Henry F Dodd ) Selectmen  
Frank E Hawley ) of  
Jason Sears ) Sandisfield, Mass.

A true Copy,

Attest:

Constable

April 1934

Joseph O'Brien

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SAMPLE COPY OF WARRANT FOR STATE PRIMART

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Sandisfield

Greeting

In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town who are qualified to vote in Primaries to meet in Sandisfield at the Town Hall Thursday, the Twentieth Day of September, 1934 at One o'clock P.M. for the following purposes:

To bring in their votes to the Primary Officers for the Nomination of Candidates of Political Parties for the following offices:





Governor	for this Commonwealth
Lieutenant Governor	" " "
Secretary of the Commonwealth	" " "
Treasurer and Receiver General	" " "
Auditor of the Commonwealth	" " "
Attorney General	" " "
Senator in Congress	" " "
Representative in Congress	" Congressional District
Councillor	" Councillor "
Senator	" Senatorial "
..... Representative in General Court	" Representative "
District Attorney	" "
Clerk of Courts	" County
Register of Deeds	" District
County Commissioners (1) (Except Nantucket and Suffolk Counties)	County
Associate County Commissioners (2)	
(Except Nantucket & Suffolk Counties)	" County
Board of Apportionment (Suffolk County Only)	" District

## VACANCIES

In Essex County	Register of Probate & Insolvency (to fill vacancy)
In Franklin County	County Commissioner (to fill vacancy)
In Hampden County	Register of Probate & Insolvency (to fill vacancy)
In Middlesex County	Sheriff (to fill vacancy)
In Norfolk County	Register of Probate & Insolvency (to fill vacancy)

The polls will be open from One O'clock to 4 O'clock P.M.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof days at least before the time of said meetings as directed by vote of the town. Hereof fail not and make return of this warrant with your doings thereon at the time and place of said meeting

Given under our hands this Fourth day of September, A.D. 1934

Henry F. Dodd ) Selectmen of  
 Jason Sears )  
 Frank E. Hawley ) Sandisfield

A true copy

Attest:

Constable

..... Sept ..... 1934

Primary September 20, 1934

Republican

Meeting called to order at 1 O'clock

Polls closed at 4 P M

25 Dem Ballots cast

22 Rep " "

The results were as follows -

Republican Side

Governor

Gaspar G Bacon 11 votes

Frank A Goodwin 10 "

Lieutenant Governor

John W Haigis 21 votes

Secretary

Frederick W Cook 20 votes



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Treasurer	
Oscar V Diorme	9 votes
Thomas M Tinson	10 "
Auditor	
Elizabeth W Pigeon	4 votes
Elmer P Atherton	0 "
Alanzo B Cook	13 "
Irma Adelaide Rich	0 "
Charles Hurley	1 "
Attorney General	
Joseph E Warner	17 votes
Senator in Congress	
Robert M Washburn	16 votes
Congressman	
Allen T Treadway	21 votes
Councillor	
Joshua Arthur Baker	17 votes
Senator	

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Harry B Putnam	18 votes
Representative in General Court	
Zacheus H Cande	15 votes
Franklin Curtiss	5 "
District Attorney	
J Bernard Roland	4 votes
Charles W Bosworth	8 "
Lewis C Gaines	0 "
Whitfield Reid	4 "
Clerk of Courts	
Irving H Gamwell	9 votes
Register of Deeds	
W Taylor Day	4 votes
Henry M Ford	1 "
Charles T Kellogg	16 "
County Commissioner	
John Henderson	22 Votes
Associate Commissioner	
Leland P Jenks	13 Votes
James H Punderson	14 "

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Democrat Side	
Governor	
Charles H Cole	6 votes
James M Curley	6 "
Frank A Goodwin	11 "
Lieutenant Governor	
Joseph L Hurley	13 votes
Francis E Kellogg	7 "
Secretary	
Joseph Santosuosso	3 votes
James P Blake	3 "
John B Buckley	9 "
James Joseph Dugan	0 "
John P O'Brien	2 "
Clement A Riley	0 "
William F Sullivan	4 "
Frederick Cook	2 "





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Treasurer	
Charles F Hurley	22 votes
Auditor	
Thomas H Buckley	10 votes
Leo D Walsh	7 "
Attorney General	
Paul A Dever	6 votes
John Martin Boyle	3 "
Philip A Chapman	5 "
Harold W Sullivan	7 "
Senator in Congress	
David I Walsh	16 votes
Edward P Barry	3 "
William Donahoe	

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Congressman	
George E Haggerty	5 votes
Richard A Reuther	4 "
Fred W Smith	6 "
Allen Treadway	7 "
Councillor	
Morton Henry Burdick	8 votes
Lorenzo J Pasquimucci	1 "
Charles W Rosa	9 "
Senator	
Charles J O Connor	21 votes
Representative in General Court	
Edward Clark Durant	5 votes
Willard D French	4 "
George Hamilton	10 "
George H Tinker	2 "
Frank Curtis	1 "
District Attorney	
Thomas F Moriority	9 votes
Clerk of Courts	
Irving H Gamwell	14 votes
Register of Deeds	
Raymond M Larkin	4 votes
Coe M Morgan	4 "
Charles Kellog	14 "
County Commissioner	
James H Coughlin	19 votes
William H Craven	3 "
John Henderson	7 "
Associate Commissioner	
Paul V Fleming	17 votes
Leland P Jenks	3 "
James H Punderson	2 "

Attest

Jason Sears

Town Clerk of

Sandisfield Mass



CANVASS OF VOTES  
For REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT No. 5

Berkshire, ss.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

The undersigned, clerks of the several towns comprising the Representative District No. Five (5), in said County, met at the Town Clerk's office in Great Barrington, at twelve o'clock noon, on Friday, the 16th day of November, 1934, and hereby certify that they did then and there examine all the attested copies of the records of the votes of the aforementioned towns at their several meetings on Tuesday, November 6, 1934, the result being as follows:

The whole number of votes cast was 4425

Name	Great Barrington	Stockbridge	Sheffield	West Stockbridge	Egremont	Alford	Mt. Washington	Sandisfield	New Marlboro	Monterey	Total
Zacheus H. Cande	907	356	349	182	109	38	16	41	197	103	2298
George H. Tinker	1183	211	160	156	152	52	21	53	106	33	2127

And the said Zacheus H. Cande was declared elected

(Attest)

Edward Kelly	Town Clerk of Great Barrington
Adam Schilling	Town Clerk of Stockbridge
Carlton W French	Town Clerk of Sheffield
	Town Clerk of West Stockbridge
Chris. Wm. Dutcher	Town Clerk of Egremont
George A Germain	Town Clerk of Alford
W A Hurst	Town Clerk of Mount Washington
Jason Sears	Town Clerk of Sandisfield
Henry Fail	Town Clerk of New Marlboro
Frank M Harmon	Town Clerk of Monterey





## GOVERNOR

John W Aiken-of Chelsea	Socialist Labor Party	2
Gaspar G Bacon-of Boston	Republican	46
James M Curley-of Boston	Democratic	48
Freeman W Follett-of Haverhill	Prohibition	1
Frank A Goodwin-of Boston	Equal Tax	0
Alfred Baker Lewis-of Cambridge	Socialist Party	2
Edward Stevens-of Boston	Communist Party	0

## Lieutenant GOVERNOR

Elizabeth Donovan-of North Brookfield	Socialist Party	2
John W Haigis-of Greenfield	Republican	45
Horace I Hillis-of Saugus	Socialist Labor Party	2
Joseph L Hurley-of Fall River	Democratic	43
Florence L Lawton-of Worcester	Prohibition	1
Horace Riley-of Boston	Communist Party	3

## SECRETARY

Walter Burke-of New Bedford	Communist Party	3
Frederic W Cook-of Somerville	Republican	47
George L McGlynn-of Beverly	Socialist Labor Party	3
Leslie A Richards-of South Hadley	Socialist Party	2
Joseph Santosuosso-of Boston	Democratic	34
William B Taylor-of Plympton	Prohibition	5

## TREASURER

Oscar U Dionne-of New Bedford	Republican	35
William R Ferry-of Newton	Prohibition	2
Thomas Gilmartin-of Brookline	Socialist Labor Party	4
Charles F Hurley-of Cambridge	Democratic	48
Harry Maltzman-of Boston	Socialist Party	3
Frederick S Reynolds-of Lynn	Communist Party	3

## AUDITOR

Henning A Blomen-of Cambridge	Socialist Labor Party	2
Thomas H Buckley-of Abington	Democratic	45
Alonzo B Cook-of Boston	Republican	40
Walter S Hutchins-of Greenfield	Socialist Party	3
Paul Skers-of Worcester	Communist Party	0

## ATTORNEY GENERAL

Morris Berzon-of Everett	Socialist Party	6
Paul A Dever-of Cambridge	Democratic	43
Charles A Flaherty-of Saugus	Communist Party	0
George F Hogan-of Nahant	Prohibition	2
Fred E Oelcher-of Peabody	Socialist Labor Party	2
Joseph E Warner-of Taunton	Republican	37

## SENATOR IN CONGRESS

Albert Sprague Coolidge-of Pittsfield	Socialist Party	2
W Barnard Smith-of Brookline	Prohibition	1
David I Walsh-of Fitchburg	Democratic	61
Robert M Washburn-of Boston	Republican	28
Albert L Waterman-of Boston	Socialist Labor Party	2
Paul C Wicks-of Greenfield	Communist Party	0



145	CONGRESSMAN - First District		
	Charles H Daniels-of North Adams	Socialist Party	2
	George E Haggerty-of Holyoke	Democratic	31
	Allen T Treadway-of Stockbridge	Republican	63
	COUNCILLOR - Eighth District		
	Joshua Arthur Baker-of Pittsfield	Republican	45
	Morton Henry Burdick-of West Springfield	Democratic	40
	John W Carafine-of Springfield	Socialist Party	4
	SENATOR - Berkshire, Hampshire and Hampden District		
	Charles J O'Connor-of Northampton	Democratic	50
	Harry B Putnam-of Westfield	Republican	41
	REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT - Fifth Berkshire District		
	Zacheus H Cande-of Sheffield	Republican	41
	George H Tinker-of Egremont	Democratic	53
	DISTRICT ATTORNEY - Western District		
	Charles W Bosworth-of Springfield	Republican	34
	Thomas F Moriarty-of Springfield	Democratic	60
	CLERK OF COURTS - Berkshire County		
	Irving H Gamwell-of Pittsfield	Republican	54
	Gerald J Sullivan-of North Adams	Democratic	36
146	REGISTER OF DEEDS - Berkshire Southern District		
	Charles T Kellogg-of Great Barrington	Republican	66
	Raymond M Larkin-of Great Barrington	Democratic	30
	COUNTY COMMISSIONER - Berkshire County		
	James M Coughlin-of North Adams	Democratic	41
	John Henderson-of Clarksburg	Republican	52
	ASSOCIATE COMMISSIONERS (Two) - Berkshire County		
	Paul V Fleming-of North Adams	Democratic	47
	Leland P Jenks-of Williamstown	Republican	38
	James H Punderson-of Stockbridge	Republican	43

Question No. 1

LAW SUBMITTED UPON REFERENDUM AFTER PASSAGE.

Shall a law described as follows:-

This law amends General Laws, chapter 131, as previously amended, by repealing section 105A thereof and adding thereto three sections, 105B, 105C, and 114A

Section 105B provides that whoever uses any trap or other device for capture of fur bearing animals, which is not designed to kill such animal at once or take it unhurt and which is likely to cause continued suffering to an animal caught therein, shall be fined fifty dollars, but traps or other devices for protection of property, set not more than fifty yards from any building, cultivated plot, or enclosures used for rearing poultry or game birds, to the use of which the presence of vermin may be detrimental, are excluded from the application of this section.

Section 105C provides for the submission to the voters at a municipal election in any city or town upon petition, of the question of whether the operation of section 105B shall be suspended or if it has already been suspended, of the question whether it shall again be operative in such city or town.





Section 111A provides that the Commissioner of Conservation may suspend the operation of section 105B for a period not exceeding thirty days within any specified territory under the control of his department.

The law also provides for the submission, by the selectmen to the voters at a special town meeting in the current year, upon petition, of the question as to whether the provisions of section 105B shall be suspended in any town; and which was approved by both branches of the General Court by vote not recorded, be approved?

YES 63  
NO 19

To obtain a full expression of opinion, voters should vote on both of the following questions:

(a) If a voter desires to permit the sale of any and all alcoholic beverages in this city (or town) he will vote "YES" on both questions.

(b) If he desires to permit the sale of wines and malt beverages, only herein, he will vote "NO" on question 1 and "YES" on question 2.

(c) If he desires to prohibit the sale of any and all alcoholic beverages herein, he will vote "NO" on both questions.

1. Shall licenses be granted in this city (or town) for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages (whisky, rum, gin, malt beverages, wines and all other alcoholic beverages)?

YES 53  
NO 17

2. Shall licenses be granted in this city (or town) for the sale therein of wines and malt beverages (wines and beer, ale and all other malt beverages)?

YES 53  
NO 17

1. Shall the pari-mutuel system of betting on licensed dog races be permitted in this county?

YES 55  
NO 16

2. Shall the pari-mutuel system of betting on licensed horse races be permitted in this county?

YES 55  
NO 16

#### QUESTION OF PUBLIC POLICY

"Shall the Representative in the General Court from the Fifth Representative District for Berkshire County be instructed to vote to request the President and the United States Senate to enter into full co-operation and membership in the League of nations, with the explanatory reservation that the United States shall not engage in war with any nation, except by vote of Congress, as provided in the United States Constitution, and such other reservations as they deem wise?"

YES 45  
NO 17

(Results of the November 6, 1934 state election copied from ballot pasted in book)



## Warrant

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Berkshire S S

To the Constable of the Town of Sandisfield

## Greeting

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are required to notify and warn the Inhabitants of said Town of Sandisfield qualified to vote on Town Affairs to meet at the Town Hall Friday November 30 at 2 Oclock p.m. ro 4 Oclock p.m. for the following purposes:

This meeting is called to see if the Voters of Sandisfield will vote to use the Surplus money that we have on hand to pay some Bills with and anything that may come before said meeting

Bonded Officers	\$ 4.50
Charity and Old age	\$750.00
Snow	\$900.00
Bridge	\$300.00
Signs for roads	\$ 45.00

and you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting true and attested copies thereof in three public places within the Town of Sandisfield Seven days before the time of holding said meeting and make due returns to the Town Clerk

Given under our hands at Sandisfield this 21 day of November 1934

Henry F Dodd ) Selectmen of  
Frank E Hawley ) Sandisfield  
Jason Sears )

Attest a true copy

Joseph O'Brien  
Constable of Sandisfield

448 The meeting was held November 30, 1934

31 Votes Cast

The warrant read by the Town Clerk  
and Frank E Hawley Moderator

Votes cast in Ballot box 31 yes and no nos

the results were as follows

Bonds	\$ 4.50
Charity and Old age	\$750.00
Snow	\$900.00
Bridge	\$300.00
Signs for roads	\$ 45.00

Polls closed at 4 p m

Attest Jason Sears  
Town clerk of  
Sandisfield Mass.





Town Meeting held February 11, 1935  
Commonwealth of Massachusetts Berkshire s.s.

To the Constable of the Town of Sandisfield

Greeting

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are required to notify and warn the Inhabitants of said Town of Sandisfield qualified to vote in election and Town affairs to meet at the Town Hall on Monday February 11th 1935 at 10 O'clock A M for the following purposes: Viz:

Article 1: To choose a Moderator

To vote by Ballot for Town officers and terms thereof as follows:

One Town Clerk for the term of one year

One Town Treasurer for the term of one year

Three Selectmen for the term of one year

One Assessor for the term of three years

One School Committee for the term of three years

One Library Trustee for the term of three years

Two Constables for the term of one year

One Auditor for the term of one year

Article 2: To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary to pay the expenses of various Town Departments - General Government - Unclassified - Health Department - Inspection of Animals - Inspection of Slaughter - Repair of Highways - Repair of Bridges - Opening roads in Winter - Support of Schools - Charity - Insurance Workmens Compensation Act - Public Library - Interest - Fires - Contingent fund and for any other purposes that may come before said meeting -

Article 3: To see if the Town will vote to buy Bonds for its Bonded Officials and to appropriate money for same

Article 4: To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1 1935, and to issue a note or notes therefor payable within one year: and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44 General Laws.

450 Article 5: To see if the Town will vote to continue the improvement of the Montville road and to appropriate money for same to be used under the provisions of Chapter 90

Article 6: To see if the Town will vote to join the Southern Berkshire Union Health District in accordance with Chapter 111 Section 27.a General Laws

Article 7: To see if the Town will vote and raise \$100.00 to repair East New Boston School house and yard

Article 8: To see how the 1934 Dog Tax shall be used

Article 9: Take a vote about the 1935 Collection of Taxes and for anything else that may come before said meeting

Article 10: To see if the 1935 Jury list is accepted as presented by the Selectmen



450 The polls will be open at 10 Oclock AM and may close at 3 Oclock PM and you are directed to serve this warrant by posting true and attested copies thereof in three public places within the Town of Sandisfield seven days at least before the time of said meeting hereof fail not and make due returns of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at or before the time of holding said meeting  
Given under our hands at Sandisfield this first day of February 1935

Selectmen of  
Sandisfield

Henry F Dodd  
Jason Sears  
Frank E Hawley

A true copy attest

Joseph O'Brien  
Constable of Sandisfield

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Results after Town meeting held February 11, 1935

Warrant read by the Town Clerk Jason Sears

Polls opened at 10 Oclock Ballot Clerks Dennis O'Brien, Dem and Samuel Wilber Rep

Art 1: Frank E Hawley elected by Ballot box for Moderator

Art 2:	Voted to raise for General Government	\$1500.00
"	" " " " Tax Title	\$ 500 00
"	" " " " Unclassified	\$ 200 00
"	" " " " Health Department	\$ 275 00
"	" " " " Repair of Highways Chapter 81	\$2000 00
"	" " " " Bridges	\$1000 00
"	" " " " Opening roads in Winter Snow	\$2000 00
"	" " " " Schools	\$14,500 00
"	" " " " Charity & Old Age assistance	\$3000 00
"	" " " " Workmens Compensation Act	\$ 550 00
"	" " " " Library use the Dog fund of	
	90.00 and	\$ 35 00
Art 3:	Voted to raise for Bonded Officers	\$ 55 00

Art 4: Voted by the Town: That the Town Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen by and hereby is authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1935 and to issue a note or notes therefor payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 14 General Laws

Art 5: Voted to raise for the Montville road Chapter 90 \$2500.00

Art 6: Voted no Nothing for Health unit

Art 7: Voted to use the E.R.A. for New Boston School House & yard

Art 8: Voted to use the 1934 Dod Tax for library funds

Art 9: Voted for Tax Collector by Ballot box  
William Smith 42 votes  
Alfred Riiska 17 "  
Frank Lambour 8 "  
Smith will not take it - Riiska Elected  
No sum stated for collection





452 Art 10: Jury list accepted

Voted to use Surplus Earnings for New Scraper and Machinery	
also voted to raise for same	\$400.00
Interest on Bank notes Voted to raise	\$350 00
Voted for Cemetaryies	\$ 50 00
" " Electric lights in Town Hall	\$ 40 00
Voted to give Will Smith for Windows at South Sandisfield School	\$ 5 00
Flags Decoration Day	\$ 10 00

Votes for Town officers were as follows - 147 votes cast

Town Clerk for One year  
Jason Sears 132 votes

Town Treasurer One year  
Mrs Annie C Willetts 131 votes

Selectmen for One year  
Henry F Dodd 112 votes  
Jason Sears 107 "  
Frank E Hawley 108 "  
William Klingler 36 "  
Charles Wells 27 "

Assessor for Three years  
Charles Allan 90 votes  
William Klingler 47 "

School Committee for Three years  
Charles Allan 90 votes  
Francis Smith 48 "

Library Trustee for Three years  
Mrs Grace Allan 87 Votes  
Mrs Francis Smith 46 "

Constable for one Year  
Joseph O'Brien 90 votes  
Charles Allan 85 "  
William Smith 40 "  
George Sturk 29 "

Auditor for One year  
Mrs Grace Allan 97  
Mrs Alfred Riiska 37

453 Selectmen organized February 27 1935

The results were as follows

Inspector of Animals Joseph O'Brien  
Inspector of Slaughter Howard Spring - Joseph O'Brien  
Fence Viewers William Rowley, Howard Spring, Owne Hartshorn  
Tree and Forest Warden Henry F Dodd  
Road Superintendent Henry Dodd  
Fire Warden John B Kimberley  
Field Drivers S. Sandisfield Alfred Riiska  
" " New Boston Charles D Strickland  
" " Town Hill Claud Kimberley  
Sealer of Weights and Measures Joseph O'Brien  
Cemetaryies Jason Sears

Attest

Jason Sears  
Town Clerk of Sandisfield





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1935 and 1936  
Republican Town Committee  
Chairman Wesley E Deming  
Secretary Charles Wells  
Treasurer Jason Sears  
Date January 25, 1935 - filed Jan 26 1935

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Special Town Meeting held December 7, 1935  
Commonwealth of Massachusetts Berkshire S.S.

To the Constable of the Town of Sandisfield Greeting

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are required to notify and warn the Inhabitants of said Town of Sandisfield qualified to vote in town affairs to meet at the Town Hall at 2 Oclock P M for the following purposes Viz:

Article 1 to choose a Moderator

Article 2 To see if the Town will vote to appropriate \$600.00 for the Towns share in the Farm and Market road projects to be used in conjunction with sums allocated by the State and Federal Government To appropriate \$500.00 from the unexpended Tax title funds appropriated at the last Town Meeting and the balance of \$100.00 be appropriated from Surplus revenue account for Farm and Market Projects

Article 3 To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for 3 new snow plows for trucks this money taken from Surplus revenue account

Article 4 To see if the Town will vote to raise \$550.00 to repair the Old Tractor Money to be taken from Tractor funds

Article 5 To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of \$300.00 for Public welfare and Old age assistance money to be taken from Surplus revenue account

Article 6 To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of \$110.00 for the balance due on Compensation insurance Money to be taken from Surplus revenue account

and for other things that may come before said meeting

The Polls will be open at Two Oclock P M and may be closed at 4 P M and you are directed to serve this warrant by posting true and attested copies thereof in three public places within the Town of Sandisfield Seven days before time of said meeting hereof fail not and make due returns of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at or least before the time of hold said Meeting

Given under our hands at Sandisfield this 30th day of November 1935

Frank E Hawley) Selectmen of  
Jason Sears ) Sandisfield

A true copy attest

Charles Allan Constable of Sandisfield Mass

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Special Town Meeting held December 7, 1935

The results as follows - Warrant read by the Town Clerk

Article 1: Frank E Hawley elected Moderator by vote

Article 2: Voted by the Town to appropriate \$500.00 from the unexpended Tax title appropriation voted at the annual Town Meeting and the balance of \$100.00 be appropriated from Surplus revenue account for Farm and Market Road Projects

Article 3: To appropriate the sum of \$800.00 from Surplus Revenue for Purchase of Two new Snow plows for trucks



- 455 Article 4: Voted to appropriate the sum of \$550.00 from Tractor funds to repair the old tractor  
Article 5: to appropriate the sum of \$300.00 from Surplus revenue for Public Welfare and Old age assistance  
Article 6: Voted to appropriate the sum of \$110.00 from Surplus Revenue for compensation Insurance

The polls were closed at 3 30 P M

Attest

Jason Sears

Dec 7, 1935

Town Clerk of Sandisfield Mass

456 Sandisfield Mass December 14th 1935

The Selectmen of Sandisfield and Tolland Mass have this day perambulated and run the Dividing line between said Towns and have marked the corner stones as required by law

Selectmen of Tolland  
Lyman C Clark  
Frank E Waugh

Selectmen of Sandisfield  
Henry F Dodd  
Frank E Hawley  
Jason Sears

457 Annual Meeting Held February 10, 1936

Commonwealth of Massachusetts Berkshire S.S.

To the constable of the Town of Sandisfield Mass

Greeting

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town of Sandisfield qualified to vote in Elections and Town affairs to meet at the Town Hall Monday February 10th 1936 at 10 Oclock A M for the following purposes Viz:

To choose a Moderator

To vote by ballot for Town Officers and terms thereof as follows

- One Town Clerk for the term of one year
- One Town Treasurer for the term of one year
- Three Selectmen for the term of one year
- One Assessor for the term of three years
- One Library Trustee for the term of three years
- Two Constables for the term of one year
- One Auditor for the term of one year
- One Tax Collector for the term of one year

To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary to pay the expenses of the various Town departments - General Government - unclassified - Health Department - Inspection of Animals - Inspectors of Slaughter - Repair of Highways - Repair of Bridges - Opening Roads in Winter - Support of Schools - Charity - Insurance - Workmens Insurance Compensation act - Public Library - Interest - Fires Contingent Fund - and for any other purposes that may be necessary

To see if the Town will vote to buy bonds for its bonded officials and to appropriate money for same

To see if the Town will authorize the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January First 1936 - and to issue a note or notes thereof payable within one year and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter General Laws





457 To see if the Town will vote to continue the improvement of Montville road and to appropriate money for same to be used under provisions of Chapter 90 State has allotted \$4000.00 County \$2000.00 Town \$2,000.00 to be raised

- 458 Article 1: To choose a Moderator  
" 2: To see if the Town will accept the Town Reports  
" 3: To see if the Jurymen are accepted  
" 4: To see if the Town will vote to raise \$2,000.00 a sum of money for the improvement of the Montville road said money to be in conjunction with any money which may be allotted by State or County or both for the purpose, or take any other action relative thereto  
Article 5: To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell after first giving notice of the time and place of sale by posting such notice of sale in some convenient and public place in the Town fourteen days at least before the sale of property taken by the Town under Tax title procedure providing that the Selectmen or whomsoever they may authorize to hold such Public Auction may reject any bid which they deem inadequate or take action relative thereto  
Article 6: To see how the 1935 Dog Tax money shall be used  
" 7: To see how the 1936 Taxes shall be collected and Back Taxes  
Article 8: To see if the Town will vote to raise money to Shingle the Tool house in New Boston Cemetery  
Article 9: To see if the Town will vote to raise money for Cemeteraries also for other items that may come up before said meeting

The polls will be open at 10 Oclock A M and may be closed at 3 Oclock P M and you are directed to serve this warrant by posting true and attested copies thereof in three public places within the Town of Sandisfield seven days at least before the time of said meeting hereof fail not and make due returns of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at or before the time of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands at Sandisfield this 18th day of January 1936.

Henry F Dodd ) Selectmen  
Frank E Hawley ) of  
Jason Sears ) Sandisfield  
A true copy attest  
Joseph O'Brien  
Constable of Sandisfield

Town Meeting comes first Monday after first Tuesday in February

459 Annual Town Meeting held February 10th 1936

Polls opened at 10 Oclock a.m.

Warrant read by the Town Clerk Votes called in Ballot box for Moderator -  
Charles Allan elected by 50 votes Mrs Alfred Carter had 40 votes  
So Charles Allan was elected Moderator

Ballot Clerks Joseph O'Brien Dem Samuel Wilber Rep

Art 2 Jurymen accepted

Art 3 Town Reports accepted

Art 4 Montville road Voted to raise \$2000.00

Art 5 Rejected up to Procedure on Tax Title

Art 6 Voted to use the 1935 Dog Tax for Library

Art 7 Alfred Riiska Collector of taxes for 1936 \$500.00 for Salary for 1936

Art 9 Voted to raise \$20.00 to Shingle Tool House in Cemetery

Voted for General Government

\$1500.00

" " Unclassified

\$ 100 00



459	Health Department and Inspection of Animals	\$ 250.00
	Repair of Highways Chapter 81	\$1500 00
	" Bridges	\$1000 00
	Opening Roads in Winter Snow	\$2000 00
	Support of Schools	\$14,000. 00
	Charity Old age assistance	\$3500 00
	Town Hall Electricity	\$ 40 00
	Insurance Compensation Act	\$ 660 00
	Bonds for Bonded officers	\$ 55 00
	Interest on bank notes	\$ 200 00
	Contingent Fund	\$ 200 00
	Paint roof at Town Hall and Shingle Shed	\$200 00
	Snow Fence to be put in different places	\$ 200 00
	If a Special Town Meeting is held send out cards to everyone	
	Voted to pay Ray Hyde for Snow Work	\$ 16 50
	Voted to raise for Machinery fund	\$ 200 00
		\$28,406.50

Voted to have the Tax Collector on the ballots

Article 5: Voted that the Town Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen be and hereby is authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1936, and to issue note or notes therefor payable within one year and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44 General Laws

Voted to close the polls at 3 Oclock and ballots were counted and the results were as follows - Counters Harry Riiska, Sam Steinburg, Eva Granger Isleib  
Sam Wilbur

460 State Police Examined the Ballots and found 4 not legal - The results were as follows 156 Ballots cast reg on Ballot box

Town Clerk for one year	
Jason Sears	128 votes
Town Treasurer	
Mrs Annie C Willetts	97 "
William Klingler	49 "
Selectmen for one year	
Jason Sears	121 votes
Henry F Dodd	80 "
Frank E Hawley	127 "
Alfred A Carter	73 "
Assessor for 3 years	
Max Marguelis	44 "
Howard Spring	94 "
School Committee for Three Years	
J B Kimberley	72 "
Mrs Martha Smith	69 "
Library Trustee for 3 years	
Sarah L Ives	57 "
Flora Sturk	80 "
Constable for one year	
Joseph O'Brien	79 "
Charles Allan	81 "
David Murray	60 "
Arthur Spring	56 "





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Auditor for one year	
Mrs Grace Allan	88 votes
Julius Gassner	58 "
Tax Collector for one year	
Charles Alfred Riiska	74 "
Albert Kornish	68 "

A Vote to close the Polls closed at 3 Oclock P M

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A Petition out to recount the votes  
 Recount held Thursday at 7 O'clock P M February 20, 1936  
 Ballots counted by the Moderator Charles Allan and the ballot counters Samuel Wilbur, Harry Riiska, Sam Steinburg, Eva Isleiv Granger  
 The results were about the same No change in officers - School Committee  
 Mrs Martha Smith 70 - J B Kimberley 72  
 Selectmen haven't organized yet but Howard Spring and Joseph O'Brien were elected by Henry Dodd signing the papers first and then Jason Sears last for Meat Inspectors for 1936 - Signed the papers February 28, 1936. Nominated the above same day Feb 28 1936  
 Put on nomination papers February 12, 1936 Mr Hawley havent seen but papers sent to Boston Feb 28 1936 for approval  
 Inspector of Animals same way and all the same as above Joseph O'Brien appointed Appointed by Dood & Sears Feb 28, 1936

Recount of Selectmen Feb 20 1936

Jason Sears	123 votes
Henry F Dodd	81 "
Frank E Hawley	129 "
Alfred A Carter	75 "

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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts Berkshire S S  
 To either of the constables of the Town of Sandisfield Greetings  
 In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town who are qualified to vote in primaries to meet in the Town Hall Tuesday the twentyeight day of April 1936 at one oclock P M for the following purposes:  
 To bring in their votes to primary officers for the election of candidates of Political Parties for the following officers  
 8 Delegates at large to the National Convention of the Democratic party  
 8 Delegates at large to the National Convention of the Democratic party  
 4 Delegates at large to the National Convention of the Republican party  
 4 Alternate Delegates at large to the National Convention of the Republican party  
 2 District Delegates to National Convention of the Democrats Party -  
 Congressional Dist  
 2 Alternate Distric Delegates to the National Convention of the Democratic party: Congressional Dist  
 2 District delegates to the national convention of the Republican Party  
 1 district Delegate to national convention of the Republican party 11th Congressional Dist  
 2 alternate District delegates to national convention of the Republican party - Congressional Dist  
 One district alternate to national convention of the Republican Party  
 11th Congressional Dist  
 Presidential Preference





Preference for Democratic candidate for President of the United States  
 Preference for Republican Candidate for President of the United States  
 District member of State Committee for each political party for the  
 Senatorial District

Members of the Democratic Town Committee

Members of the Republican Town Committee

Delegate to State Convention of the Democratic Party

Delegates to State convention of the Republican Party

All the above candidates are to be voted for upon one ballot

The polls will be open from one Oclock to 4 P M and you are directed to serve this  
 warrant by posting attested copies thereof 7 days at least before the time of said  
 meeting as directed by vote of the Town. hereof fail not and make return of this  
 warrant with your doings thereon at time and place of said meeting

Given under our hands this 6 day of Aprin A D 1936

Selectmen of Sandisfield - Frank E Hawley Jason Sears Henry Dodd

Attest a true copy Jason Sears Town Clerk of Sandisfield

Primaries held April 28, 1936

Republican Side 42 votes cast as follows

Delegates to National Convention

Charles F Adams	Votes 20
George F Booth	" 19
Joseph W Masters	" 19
Allen T Treadway	" 33

Alternate delegates at large to national convention

Mary Phillips Bailey	Votes 21
Florence H LeEuvre	" 18
Wallace Sterns	" 21
Anna E M Tillingast	" 20

District Delegates to national convention First District

Denis T Noonan	Votes 23
Arthur H Starrett	" 24

Alternate District Delegates First District

Margaret A Green	Votes 17
Gladys S Brothers	" 30

State Committee Berkshire Hampden Hampshire District

Frank H Wright	Votes 22
Alfred A Carter	" 1

Delegates to State Convention from Sandisfield

Alfred A Carter	Votes 26
Francis A Smith	" 13

Town Committee Sandisfield

Francis A Smith	Votes 14
Julius Gassner	" 14
Wesley E Deming	" 29
Jason Sears	" 4
Charles Allan	" 1
Sebastino Orso	" 2
Alfred Riiska	" 10
Charles Wells	" 4
W W Smith	" 1

Presidential Preference

Landon	15 Votes
Borek	1 "
Knox	1 "
Hoover	2 "



## Delegates at large to national convention

David I Walsh	Votes	8
Marcus A Coolidge	"	6
James M Curley	"	6
William J Granfield	"	7
Joseph McGrath	"	6
Margaret M O Riosdan	"	5
Elizabeth L McNamara	"	5
Grace Hartley Howe	"	7
Timothy E Carroll	"	1
Celasrider F Sullivan	"	3

## Alternate Delegates at large to national convention

Clementina Laugone	Votes	10
Mary Malrotia	"	9
Golda R Walters	"	9
Sadie H Mulrone	"	10
Louise A Clark	"	8
H Oscar Rockelsau	"	7
Stanley W Wisnioski	"	7
Jullian D Rainey	"	8

## District Delegates to national convention First Dist

James M Coughlin	Votes	11
Lucy A Hickey	"	8

## First Dist Alternate dist Delegates to National Convention

John M Deely	Votes	13
Abner S McLaud	"	9

## Presidential Preference

Roosevelt	12 Votes
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## State Committee

none Blank

## Delegate to State Convention Sandisfield

Joseph O'Brien	11 Votes
Alfred A Carter	2 Votes

## Town Committee Sandisfield

Joseph O'Brien	11 Votes
Howard Spring	11 "
Charles Allan	11 "

Attest Jason Sears

Town Clerk

To either of the Constables of the Town of Sandisfield

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town who are qualified to vote in Primaries to meet in the Town Hall Tuesday, the Fifteenth Day of September, 1936 at 10 o'clock a m to 3 p m, for the following purposes:

To bring in their votes to the Primary Officers for the Nomination of Candidates of Political Parties for the following offices:

GOVERNOR	for this Commonwealth
LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR	" " "
SECRETARY OF THE COMMONWEALTH	" " "





TREASURER AND RECEIVER GENERAL  
 AUDITOR OF THE COMMONWEALTH  
 ATTORNEY GENERAL  
 SENATOR IN CONGRESS  
 REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS  
 COUNCILLOR  
 SENATOR  
 REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT  
 REGISTER OF PROBATE AND INSOLVENCY  
 COUNTY COMMISSIONERS (2)  
 COUNTY TREASURER

for this Commonwealth  
 " " "  
 " " "  
 " " "  
 " " Congressional District  
 " Councillor "  
 " Senatorial "  
 " Representative "  
 " Berkshire County  
 " Berkshire County  
 " Berkshire County

## VACANCIES

In Barnstable County, An Associate County Commissioner (to fill vacancy)  
 In Essex County, An Associate County Commissioner (to fill vacancy)  
 In Middlesex County, A Clerk of the Courts (to fill vacancy)  
 In Plymouth County, An Associate County Commissioner (to fill vacancy)  
 In Suffolk County, A Clerk of the Superior Court (Civil Business) (to fill vacancy)

The polls will be open from to M.  
 Hereof fail not and make return of this warrant with your doings thereon at the  
 time and place of said meeting

Given under our hands this First day of September, A.D. 1936

Frank E Hawley)  
 Jason Sears ) Selectmen of  
 Henry F Dodd ) Sandisfield

A true copy,

Attest:

Charles Allan Constable

Wednesday Sept. 2, 1936

## Primaries held September 15, 1936

The Results were as follows

Republican Side 41 Ballots Cast		Democratic Side 36 Votes cast	
	Votes		Votes
Governor		Governor	
John W Haigis	39	Charles T Hurley	34
Lieutenant Governor		Lieutenant Governor	
Leverett Saltonstall	37	Phillip J Philbin	14
Secretary		Thomas F Galvin	4
Frederick W Cook	36	Francis E Kelly	13
Treasurer		Secretary	
William E Hurley	35	Joseph Santosuosso	13
William C Andrew	0	William J Chearne	5
Fred Jefferson Burwell	3	John J Buckley	6
Auditor		John D O'Brien	2
Richard Darby	17	Edward W O hearn	2
Russell A Wood	17	William F Sullivan	3
Attorney General		Treasurer	
Felix Forte	35	James C Scanlon	13
Senator in Congress		James M Hurley	21
Henry Cabot Lodge	33	Auditor	
Alonzo B Cook	4	Thomas H Buckley	18
Guy M Gray	2	Leo D Walsh	11
Congressman		Attorney General	
Milton F Hadly	4	Paul A Deves	33
Allen T Treadway	35		



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	George A Bacon	7	James M Curley	23
	Emile C Beaudreau	0	Robert E Greenwood	7
	Arthur A Hastings	21	Congressman	
	Edward J Kelley	2	George E Haggerty	11
	Irving L Shaw	5	Joseph F Hartnell	2
	Herman C Walker	4	Owen Johnson	19
	Senator		Councillor	
	Raymond H Cowing	6	Morton Henry Burdick	13
	William A Ford	18	Edward T Collins	11
	Edwin L Olander	15	Frank Long	5
	Norman T Smith	2	John L Ljona	0
	Representative in General Court		Lorenzo J Pasquinucci	1
	Frankline Curtiss	18	Senator	
	Paul Foster	14	George E Kelley	13
	John P Nalty	6	Edward J McMahon	13
	Register of Probate Insolvency		James J Moriarty	6
	William S Morton	36	Representative in General Court	
	County Commissioners		Cal' E Pavoka	11
	Frederick H Purches	29	William J Hickey	22
	Robert S Tillotson	37	Register of Probate	
	County Treasurer		Gerald J Sullivan	29
	Angeline S Martin	34	County Commissioners	
			John J Kordana	20
			Walter S Mereden	27
			County Treasurer	
			James P McAndrews	32
			Harold V Dunn	6

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# Primaries Register of Deeds held October 20, 1936

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Berkshire S S

To the Selectmen of the Town of Sandisfield in said County Greeting

Whereas a Vacancy has occurred in the office of Register of deeds for the Southern District of Berkshire caused by death of the person elected thereto: Now therefore in the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are required to call a meeting of the voters in said Town of Sandisfield on October 20, 1936 Warning said voters to assemble at a place provided for the purpose by said Town then and there to give in their ballots for a Register of Deeds for the Southern District of Berkshire to fill a vacancy for the remainder of the term which will expire with the Thirty first day of December 1940. Hereof fail not and this shall be your warrant for so doing

Witness: Robert S Tillotson; Frederick H Purcher and James M Coughlin, County Commissioners of Berkshire County and the seal of said County thereto affixed at Pittsfield this Twenty ninth day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirtysix

Frank E Hawley ) Selectmen  
Jason Sears ) of  
Henry F Dodd ) Sandisfield

Meeting opened at the Town Hall

October 20 1936 from 1 to 4 Oclock P M

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## Register of Deeds

Republican Side 58 ballots cast

Democrat Side 16 Ballots cast

Ray D Adams	14	Cecil E Bevoka	1
W Taylor Day	1	Camello V Jensolini	15
Marsh B Giddings	0		
E Ruyr Humphrey	0		
Losephine DeBlalic	32		





## CANVASS OF VOTES

## For REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT NO. 5

Berkshire, ss.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

The undersigned, clerks of the several towns comprising the Representative District No. Five (5), in said County, met at the Town Clerk's office in Great Barrington, at twelve o'clock noon on Friday, the 13th day of November, 1936, and hereby certify that they did then and there examine all the attested copies of the records of the votes of the aforementioned towns at their several meetings on Tuesday, November 3, 1936, the result being as follows:

The whole number of votes cast was 6009.

Name	Great Barrington	Stockbridge	Sheffield	West Stockbridge	Egremont	Alford	Mt. Washington	Sandisfield	New Marlboro	Monterey	Total
Paul E Foster	1605	515	428	192	197	57	19	68	261	139	3480
William J Hickey	1113	309	247	152	89	45	20	73	166	28	2242
Harry Klein	92	20	8	135	11	5	0	3	8	5	287

And the said Paul W Foster was declared elected

(Attest)

Ruth F Graham	Town Clerk of Great Barrington
Adam Schilling	Town Clerk of Stockbridge
Carlton W French	Town Clerk of Sheffield
	Town Clerk of West Stockbridge
Fay D Patterson	Town Clerk of Egremont
George A Germain	Town Clerk of Alford
W A Hunt	Town Clerk of Mount Washington
Jason Sears	Town Clerk of Sandisfield
Henry Fay	Town Clerk of New Marlboro
Frank M Harmon	Town Clerk of Monterey





Polls were opened at 10 O'clock A M and closed at 4 O'clock P M -- and the results were as follows 171 Votes cast

## President

Aiken & Teighert	Socialist Party	0
Browder & Ford	Communist Party	0
Galvin & Watson	Prohibition Party	0
Landon & Knox	Republican Party	76
Lemke & O'Brien	Union Party	0
Roosevelt & Gardner	Democratic Party	91
Thomas & Nelson	Socialist Party	0

## Governor

	Votes	
Fred G Bushold	3	
Alfred H Evans	1	
John W Haigis	75	
Horace J Willis	0	
Otis Archer Wood	1	
Charles F Hurley	75	
Alfred Baker Lewis	0	
William H McMasters	1	

## Lieutenant Governor

	Votes	
Henning A Blomen	1	
Freeman W Follett	1	
Walter S Hutchins	3	
Francis E Kelly	77	
Leverett Saltonstall	76	
Paul C Wicks	1	

## Secretary

	Votes	
Frederick W Cook	77	
Ralph Dow	0	
George L McGlyn	4	
Mary E Moore	1	
Joseph Santosuosso	62	

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## Treasurer

	Votes	
Thomas Gilmastin	0	
Mabelle M Graves	1	
Harold J Hatfield	0	
Eva Hoffman	1	
James F Hurley	77	
William E Hurley	77	
Silvester McBride	0	

## Auditor

	Votes	
Lyman M Aldrich	1	
Thomas H Buckley	73	
Richard Darby	0	
Elizabeth Donovan	1	
Alfred Haase	1	
Walter J Hogan	4	
Russell A Wood	73	

## Attorney General

	Votes	
Morris Berzon	3	
Paul A Dever	73	
Felix Forte	72	
George F Hogan	2	
Fred E Olcher	2	
Michael Tuyaiszian	1	



471	Senator in Congress		
	Alonzo B Cook	Votes	1
	Albert Sprague Coolidge	"	3
	James M Curley	"	75
	Ernest L Lodge	"	0
	Charles Flaherty	"	0
	Guy M Grey	"	2
	Moses H Gulesian	"	1
	Henry Cabot Lodge	"	74
	Wilbur D Moon	"	1
	Thomas C O'Brien	"	1
472	Congressman		
	Charles S Daniels	Votes	0
	Milton F Hadley	"	1
	Owen Johnson	" 69	69
	Allen T Treadway	"	86
	Councillor		
	George A Bacon	Votes	74
	Edward T Collins	"	72
	Alfred Diamond	"	4
	Senator		
	Mary W Dickson	Votes	4
	George E Kelly	"	76
	Edwin L Olander	"	76
	Representative in General Court		
	Paul W Foster	Votes	68
	William J Hickey	"	73
	Harry Klein	"	3
	Register of Probate and Insolvency		
	William S Morton	Votes	81
	Gerald J Sullivan	"	64
	County Commissioners		
	John J Kosdana	Votes	55
	Walter S Massden	"	61
	Frederick H Purches	"	65
	Robert S Tillotson	"	76
	County Treasurer		
	Angeline S Mestire	Votes	80
	James P McAndrews	"	74
	Register of Deeds		
	Carnillo V Jamolini	Votes	65
	Josephine B LeBlanc	"	83
473	No. 1 All Liquors Beer & Wine		
	Yea		100
	No		24
	No. 2 Beer & Wine		
	Yes		92
	No		22
	Packages		
	Yes		91
	No		27





473	Liquor & Beer licenses rec for 1939	All made out Dec 31, 1938	
	Mrs Lillian A Palmer - Main Road New England Ski Hill New Boston		\$250.00
	Rec and given to the Town Treasurer Charles Allan		2 00
	1939 Victuallers & Ad in paper		2 50
		Total	\$254.50
	Mrs Ethel W H Perkins New Boston Inn New Boston		\$250.00
	All Alcoholic 1939 Rec		
		Victuallers	2 00
		Ad in paper	2 50
			\$254.50
	Rec Mrs Louise Orso All Alcoholic		\$250.00
	Pine Crest Inn New Boston		
	1939	Victuallers	2 00
		Ad in paper	2 50
			\$254.50
	Rec from Morris Immerman Post Office building		
	Beer & Wine License		\$100.00
	1939	Ad in paper	2 50
		Victuallers license	2 00
			\$104.50
	1939 Walter H Galaske Montville Main St		
	Beer & Wine License rec		\$100.00
		Ad in paper	2 50
		Victualler	2 00
			\$104.50

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Town Meeting held November 28, 1936  
Commonwealth of Massachusetts      Berkshire S S

To the constable of the Town of Sandisfield

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts You are required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town of Sandisfield qualified to vote in Elections and Town affairs to meet at the Town Hall on November 28 1936 at One Oclock p m for the following purposes Viz -

To choose a Moderator

This meeting is called to use money on hand to pay various bills that were overdrawn Viz

Snow	\$55.92
Ray Hyde	\$ 1 12
Bank Interest	\$60 00
Workmens Compensation	\$298 52
Bridges	\$500 00

and for other things that may come before said meeting

The polls will be open at one Oclock P M and may be closed at 3 Oclock P M and you are directed to serve this warrant by posting true and attested copies thereof in 3 public places within the Town of Sandisfield Seven days at least before the time of holding said meeting

Given under our hands at Sandisfield November 18, 1936

Frank E Hawley) Selectmen  
Jason Sears    ) of  
Henry F Dodd   ) Sandisfield

A true copy attest

Joseph O'Brien  
Constable of Sandisfield



Nov 28, 1936

Meeting called to order by the Town Clerk on November 28, 1936

Polls open at 1 O'clock p m

Voted by Ballot box for Moderator Frank E Hawley elected Moderator  
the vote was as follows

Snow voted to raise	\$200.00
Ray Hyde bill voted to raise	\$ 1 12
Bank Interest voted to raise	\$298 52
Workmens compensation voted to raise	\$500.00
Bridges voted to raise	

Voted yes for the School Committee to sell the old School Houses Stoves  
Farm to market W.P.A.

Voted to use the Surplus on hand

Meeting closed at 3 o'clock p m

Attest a true copy

Jason Sears

Town Clerk of Sandisfield

Appropriations 1937 - \$26,474.64

Town Meeting held February 8th 1937

Commonwealth of Massachusetts Berkshire S S

To the Constable of the Town of Sandisfield

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town of Sandisfield qualified to vote in Election and Town Affairs to meet at the Town Hall Monday February 8th 1937, at 10 O'clock A M for the following purposes Viz:

To choose a Moderator

To vote by Ballot for Town Officers and terms thereof as follows

One Town Clerk for one year

One Town Treasurer for one year

Three Selectmen for the term of one year

One Assessor for the term of three years

One Library Trustee for the term of three years

Two Constables for the term of one year

One Auditor for the term of one year

One Tax Collector for the term of one year

One Sealer of Weights and measures for the term of one year

Art 1 To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary to pay the expenses of the various Town Departments - General Government - Unclassified - Health Department - Inspection of Animals - Inspection of Slaughters - Repair of Highways - Repair of Bridges - Opening Roads in Winter - Support of Schools - Charity - Insurance Workmens Compensation Act - Public Library - Interest - Fires O Contingent fund and for any other purpose that may be necessary

Art 2 To see if the Town will vote to buy bonds for its Bonded officials and to appropriate money for same

Art 3 To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1937 - and to issue a note or notes therefor payable within one year and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17 Chapter 44 General Laws.





- 477 Art 4 To see if the Town will vote to continue the improvement of the Montville Road and to appropriate money for the same to be used under the provisions of Chapter 90
- Art 5 To see what the Town has to say about the Health unit
- Art 6 To see what the Town will do on the Frank Robinson case
- Art 7 Take a Vote on the back Taxes and raise a sum of money to pay the Collector of the year of 1937
- Art 8 Raise money for the care of Cemeteries
- Art 9 To see how the 1936 Dog Tax money shall be used
- Art 10 Vote how to use the 1936 and 1937 Liquor and Beer licenses money that was paid to the Town for licenses
- Art 11 To see if the Town will accept the Town reports
- Art 12 To see if the Jurymen are accepted
- Art 13 To vote on other items that may come before said Meeting
- Art 14 To see if the Town will vote to increase the Town Clerks Salary
- Art 15 To vote to appoint a Cemetery Superintendent

The polls will be open at 10 O'clock a m and may be closed at 3 o'clock p m and you are directed to serve this warrant by posting true and attested copies thereof in three public places within the Town of Sandisfield seven days at least before the time of holding said meeting hereof fail not and make due returns of this warrant with your doings thereon at or before the time of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands at Sandisfield this 27th day of January 1937

Frank E Hawley ) Selectmen  
Jason Sears ) of  
Henry F Dodd ) Sandisfield

A true copy attest Joseph O'Brien  
Constable of Sandisfield

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# Town Meeting February the 8th 1937

Warrant read by the Town Clerk and a Vote by Ballot box for Moderator Charles Allan elected by 23 votes Hawley 8 -

Polls were open at 10 Oclock a m and the results were as follows

Ballot clerks Samuel Wilbur - Rep Ada Rowley - Dem

Eva Granger checker on Voting List

Mrs Willetts Dodd & Hawley ordered out of ballot place

So Leon Kilbourn turned the crank of ballots

149 Ballots Cast - A bad day but a good crowd out

No troopers and a good quiet meeting

Art 1	Voted for General Government	\$1550.00
	" " Unclassified	\$100 00
	Health Department Slaughters and animals	\$250 00
	Repairs of Highways Chapter 81	\$1500 00
	Repair of Bridges	\$1000 00
	Opening Roads in Winter Snow 1937	\$1000 00
	Schools	\$11100 00
	Charity	\$3000 00
	Insurance Workmens Compensation Act	\$1000 00
	Library use the 1936 Dog tax money - and voted to raise	\$75 00
	Interest	\$260 00
	Fires Contingent fund	\$300 00
Art 2	Bonds for bonded officials 1937	\$55 00





- 478 Art 3 Voted - that the Town Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen be and hereby is authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January first 1937 and to issue a note or notestherefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17 Chapter 44 General Laws
- 479 Art 4 Voted to raise for Montville road Chapter 90 \$2000.00  
 Art 5 Health unit Voted by ballot box 20 yes - 55 no  
 Art 6 Frank Robinson Case Voted by ballot box No 36 - Yes 38  
 So the vote was to pay his bills  
 Art 7 Taxes Voted to pay Collector in the year of 1937 \$500 00  
 Art 8 Voted to care for Cemeteries \$75 00  
 Art 9 Liquor and beer money in the years of 1936 and 1937  
 Art 10 Voted to use the same to reduce the Taxes in 1937  
 Art 11 Voted to accept the Town Reports  
 Art 12 Jurymen Voted to take our of the 1937 list Owne Hartshorn and Wallace R Clark Jr and put in their places Sam Steinburg and Alfred A Carter  
 Voted no Stove for garage  
 Art 13 Insurance on School houses Voted no insurance \$50 00  
 Voted by the Town to raise  
 for the One hundred and Seventy five anniversary of the Town of Sandisfield this summer and for the Historical Society to handle it and see to it  
 Voted for Machinery fund \$200 00  
 Voted yes by the Town to buy supplies for the Town all tools and machiners fas & oil and everything that the Town of Sandisfield uses first in the Town of Sandisfield Second in the Berkshire County Third in the State  
 Voted to raise Mrs Annie C Willets Salary \$50.00 per year as Town Treasurer of Sandisfield in 1937  
 Art 14 Voted by the Town to increase the Town Clerks Salary \$50.00 per year  
 A Petition signed for Tolland Mountain  
 Voted Selectmen to meet every month at the Town Hall decide a day and time  
 Voted for the Town Clerk to have a certain day to be at home
- 480 Voted by the Town field drivers and Pound Keeper  
 Town Hill Sam Steinbauch  
 Sandisfield Vassel Gregoski  
 New Boston Arthur Church  
 Pound Keeper  
 Sam Steinbauch Sam says he has a good yard  
 Fence Viewers the Selectmen  
 Cemetery Superintendent Voted to have the Road Superintendent  
 Voted to have the Tax Collector be at the Town Hall once a month and at Selectmens meeting  
 Voted by the Town to raise for Farm to Market \$1000 00
- The polls were closed at 4 Oclock P M and everyone went home on the ice but chains in use. Everyone happy



480 There was 149 Ballots cast and the results were as follows

Town Clerk for one year			
Jason Sears	104	Votes	No Blanks
Town Treasurer			
Mrs Annie C Willets	125	Votes	
Selectmen for one year			
Frank Hawley	103		
Jason Sears	88		
Henry Dodd	102		
Charles Alfred Riiska	49		
Charles A Wills	41		
Assessor for three years			
William W Smith	62		
William H Rowley	81		

School Committee for three years  
Mrs Flora Sturk 111

481 Library Trustee for Three years  
Alice O'Brien 91 Votes  
Charlotte Whitney 42 "

Constable for One year  
Joseph O'Brien 87 Votes  
Meyer Lavine 87 "  
Clifford Palmer 53 "  
William Klingler 50 "

Auditor for one year  
Grace Allan 108 Votes

Tax Collector for one year  
Charles A Riiska 67 Votes  
Max Margulies 69 "

Sealer of Weights and Measures  
Clifford Palmer 55 Votes  
Louis Goda 85 "

Attest a true copy  
Jason Sears  
Town Clerk of Sandisfield

481 Whole Appropriations for 1937

Gen Government	\$1550.00
Unclassified	\$1000 00
Health Animals & Slaughters	\$ 250 00
Chap 81 Highways	\$1500 00
Bridges	\$1000 00
Snow	\$1000 00
Schools	\$11,100 00
Charity	\$3000 00
Workmens Comp Act	\$1000 00
Dogs	\$ 75 00
Interest	\$ 260 00
Contingent Fund	\$ 300 00
Bonds	\$ 55 00
Montville road Chap 90	\$2000 00
Collector ot Taxes	\$ 500 00
Cemeteries	\$ 75 00
Anniversary town Sandisfield	\$ 50 00





481	Machinery fund	\$ 200 00
	Mrs Willetts	\$ 50 00
	Town Clerk Salary	\$ 50 00
	Farm to market	\$1000 00
		<u>\$29,015.00</u>

482 Special Town Meeting, At 2 P.M. July 31, 1937

Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Berkshire, S.S.

To the Constable of the Town of Sandisfield

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town of Sandisfield qualified to vote in election and town affairs to meet at the Town Hall, Saturday at 2 P M July 31, 1937, To choose a Moderator:

This is a Special Town Meeting called by the Town Treasurer and Selectmen of Sandisfield for various Articles Viz:

Article 1 Take a vote to raise \$40.00 for Electric lights for the Town Hall

Article 2 Unclassified \$100.00

This money comes from free cash in Treasurer

Article 3 Highways Chapter 81 \$500.00

This money comes from free cash in Treasurer

Article 4 Charity Old age assistance indeginabe

and for other items that may come before said meeting

The polls will be open at 2 P M, and may be closed at 4 P M, and you are directed to serve this warrant by posting true and attested copies thereof in three public places within the town of Sandisfield, seven days at least, before the time of said meeting thereof to the Town Clerk at or before the time of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands at Sandisfield This July 23rd 1937

Frank E Hawley)

Henry F Dodd ) Selectmen of Sandisfield

Jason Sears )

A true Copy Attest -

Jason Sears Town Clerk of Sandisfield

Joseph O'Brien - Constable of Sandisfield

Per Helen Granger, Glastonbury Conn.

483 Special Town Meeting held Saturday July 31 1937

at 2 O'clock PM

Meeting opened at 2 P M

Charles Allan elected Moderator by votes

Article 1 Voted to raise \$40.00 for electric lights for the Town Hall

Article 2 Unclassified Voted to raise \$100.00 from free Cash

Article 3 Chapter 81 Voted to raise \$500.00 from free Cash

Article 4 Charity and old age Voted to raise \$2000.00 from free Cash

York road Voted to raise \$500.00 from free Cash

Meeting adjourned at 3 30

Attest a true copy

Jason Sears

Town Clerk of Sandisfield



Commonwealth of Massachusetts Berkshire, S.S.  
To the Constable of the Town of Sandisfield

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town of Sandisfield qualified to vote in elections and Town affairs to meet at the Town Hall on Monday February the 7th at ten o'clock A M for the following purposes - Viz:

To choose a moderator

To vote by ballot for Town officers and terms thereof as follows:

- One Town Clerk for the term of one year
- One Town Treasurer for the term of one year
- Three Selectmen for the term of one year
- One Assessor for the term of three years
- One Library Trustee for the term of three years
- Two Constables for the term of one year
- One Auditor for the term of one year

To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary to pay the expenses of various Town Departments -

General Government - Unclassified - Health Department - Inspection of Animals - Inspection of Slaughters - Repair of Highways - Repair of Bridges - Opening Roads in Winter - Support of Schools - Charity - Insurance - Workmens Compensation Act - Public Library - Interest - Fires - Contingent Fund and for any other purpose that may be necessary

Art 1 To see if the Town will vote to buy bonds for its bonded officials and to appropriate money for same

Art 2 To see if the Town will authorize the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1st 1938, and to issue a note or notes thereof payable within one year, And to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Charter 44 general laws

485 Art 3 To see if the Town will vote to continue the improvement of the Montville road and to appropriate money for same to be used under the provisions of Chapter 90

Art 4 To see if the Town will vote to raise money for the care of cemeteries

Art 5 To see how the 1937 dog Tax shall be used

Art 6 Vote how to use the 1937 Liquor and beer money that was payed to the Town for Licenses

Art 7 To see if the Town will accept the Town Reports

Art 8 To see if the Jurymen are accepted as presented by the Selectmen

Art 9 Take a vote on Trapping animals yes or no

Art 10 To vote on other items that may come before said meeting

Art 11 To see if the Town will vote to build a toilet for the Library

Art 12 To see if the Town will vote to raise money for office equipment for letter files called Steel Cabinet

Art 13 To see if the Town will vote to gravel the New Hartford road and to raise money for same

Art 14 To see if the Town will vote to widen the road called Hawley road and raise money for same

Art 15 To see if the Town will buy a new Tractor and Snow plow and to vote to raise money for same

Art 16 To see if the Town will vote to gravel the road leading north by the New Boston post Office to Clarks Cagin

Art 17 To see if the Town will vote to raise \$500.00 for Dr. Henry H Erbe for Town Physician and School Physician agent for Board of Health take care of





485 all Charity and make calls in the Town of Sandisfield for \$2.00 per call during the day, and at night \$3.00 and all School vaccination and Physical examinations

The Polls will be open at ten o'clock a m and may be closed at three o'clock p m and you are directed to serve this warrant by posting true and attested copies thereof in three public places within the Town of Sandisfield seven days at least before the time of meeting hereof fail not and make due returns of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at or before the time of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands at Sandisfield this 27th day of January 1938

Henry F Dodd ) Selectmen  
Jason Sears ) of  
Frank E Hawley) Sandisfield

A true copy attest

Joseph O'Brien Constable of Sandisfield

Attest a true copy

Jason Sears Town Clerk of Sandisfield

(The Results of 1938 Town Meeting on Page 504)

486      Second Class      License      No 1 1914-1915

To sell Malt Liquors, Cider and light wines to be drunk on the premises. This is to certify that the board of Selectmen of the town of Sandisfield have granted a license to Jules A Verchot, doing business at the Hotel in New Boston on the first floor of the hotel situated in the village of New Boston, to sell, expose, or keep for sale, until May first 1915, Malt Liquors, light wines, (containing not more than fifteen per centime of alcohol) to be drunk on the premises This license is subject to the conditions of Chapter 100 Revised Laws of Massachusetts thereof:- first that the provisions in regard to the nature of the license, and the building in which the business may be carried on under it, shall be strictly adhered to.

Second, that no sale of intoxicating or spirituous liquors shall be made between the hours specified in said Chapter 100, Revised Laws of Massachusetts and amendments thereof. Third that no liquor except such as is of good standard quality and free from adulterative shall be kept or sold on the premises described in the license. Fourth - That no sale or delivery of liquor shall be made in the premises described in the license to a person known to be a drunkard, to an intoxicated person or to a person who is known to have been intoxicated within the six months last preceeding, or to a minor, either for his own use or the use of his parents or of any other person, or, unless upon the prescription of a duly registered physician, to a person known to have been supported in whole or in part by public charity at any time during the twelve months last preceeding the date of the license.

Fifth - That there shall be no disorder, indecency, prostitution, lewdness or illegal gaming in the licensed premises, or on any premises connected therewith by an interior communication.

Sixth - That the license or a copy certified by the recording officer of the licensing board or by the Clerk of the city or town by which it is issued, shall be displayed on the premises, in a conspicuous position, where it can be easily read.

487 Seventh - That the license shall subject to forfeiture, as herin provided, for breach of any of its conditions, and that if the licensee is convicted of violation of any of such conditions his license shall therefor become void. such license of





487 the first five classes shall be subject to the further condition that the licensee shall not sell, give away or deliver on the licensed premises any intoxicating liquors on a legal holiday as defined in sec five Chap Eight or on any day in which a national, state, city or annal town election is held in the city or town in which the licensed premises are situated except the day of an election in a city if such election is not required to be held in the ward in which the licensed premises are situated; but this condition shall not apply to a wholesale druggist who on the day of an election as aforesaid, sells, gives away, or delivers in his Inn, any intoxicating liquor to a guest who has resorted to his inn for food or lodging; but an innkeeper shall not upon such holiday sell, give away, or deliver intoxicating liquor in his inn under a fourth or fifth class license, each license of the first three classes shall be subject to the further condition that the licensee shall hold a license as an innholder or common fictualler and that he shall not serve any spirituous liquors at a table or tables in any room in which the exclusive or principle business carried on is the sale of such liquors, each license of the first three classes issued to a common victualler shall specify the room or rooms in which such liquors shall be kept or sold, and the holder of such license shall not keep, or sell or deliver any such liquors in any room or part of a building not so specified each license of the second, third fifth or seventh class shall be subject to the further condition that no spiritous intoxicating liquors except those the sale of which is allowed by the license shall be kept on the licensed premises this license is granted and accepted upon the express condition that the person or persons above licensed shall, in all respects, fulfil and conform to, all the requirements of the law, and that in case of any breach of either of such requirements this license shall become null and void. In testimony whereof the undersigned have hereunto affixed their official signatures this twenty eighth day of April A D 1914

Edman H Struckland Chairman of Selectmen  
Wesley N Clark Town Clerk

488	Second Class	License	No. One 1915 - 1916
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To sell malt liquors, cider and light wines to be drunk on the premises. This is to certify that the Board of Selectmen, of the town of Sandisfield have granted a license to Jules A Verchot doing business at the hotel in New Boston on the first floor in the north east room of the hotel situated in the village of New Boston, to sell, expose, or keep for sale, until May 1st, 1916, malt liquors, cider and light wines, containing not more than fifteen per centime of alcohol, to be drunk on the premises. This license is subject to the condition of chapter 100, revised laws of Massachusetts and amendments thereof:-

First	That the provisions in regard to the nature of the license, and the building in which the business may be carried on under it, shall be strictly adhered to
Second	That no sale of spirituous or intoxicating liquor shall be made between the hours specified in said chapter 100, revised laws of Massachusetts and amendments thereof.
Third	That no liquor except such as is of good standard quality and free from adulteration shall be kept or sold on the premises described in the license
Fourth	That no sale or delivery of liquor shall be made on the premises described in the license to a person known to be a drunkard to an intoxicated person, or to a person who is known to have been intoxicated within the six months last preceding, or to a minor, either for his own use, the use of his parents, or, unless upon the prescription of a duly registered physician, to a person known to have been supported in whole or in part by public charity at any time during the twelve months last preceding the date of the license





- 489 Fifth That there shall be no disorder, indecency, prostitution, lewdness or illegal gaming on the licensed premises or on any premises connected therewith by an interior communication.
- Sixth That the license, or a copy thereof, certified by the recording officer of the licensing board, or by the clerk of the city or town by which it is issued, shall be displayed on the premises, in a conspicuous position where it can easily be read
- Seventh That the license shall be subject to forfeiture, as herein provided, for breach of any of its conditions, and that, if the licensee if convicted of a violation of any of such conditions, his license shall thereupon become void. Each license of the first five classes shall be subject to the further condition that the licensee shall not sell, give away or deliver on the licensed premises any intoxicating liquors on a legal holiday as defined in section five chapter eight or on any day on which a national, state, city or annual town election is held in the city or town in which the licensed premises are situated, except the day of an election in a city if such election is not required to be held in the ward in which the licensed premises are situated; but this condition shall not apply to a wholesale druggist who, on the day of an election as aforesaid sells, gives away or delivers intoxicating liquors on the licensed premises, nor to an innkeeper who sells, gives away or delivers in his inn any intoxicating liquor to a guest who has resorted to his inn for food or lodging; but an innkeeper shall not upon such holiday sell, give away or deliver intoxicating liquor in his inn under a fourth or fifth class license.
- 490 Each license of the first three classes shall be subject to the further condition that the licensee shall hold a license as an innholder or common victualler and that he shall not serve any spirituous or intoxicating liquor at a table or tables in any room in which the exclusive or principle business carried on is the sale of such liquors. Each license of the first three classes issued to a common victualler shall specify the room or rooms in which such liquor shall be kept or sold and the holder of such license shall not keep, sell or deliver any such liquors in any room or part of a building not so specified. Each license of the second third, fifth or seventh class shall be subject to the further condition that no spirituous or intoxicating liquors except those the sale of which is allowed by the license shall be kept on the licensed premises.

This license is granted and accepted upon the express conditions that the person or persons above licensed shall, in all respects, fulfil, and conform to, all the requirements of the law; and that in case of any breach of either of said requirements this license shall become null and void. In testimony whereof, the undersigned have hereunto affixed their official signatures, this twenty eight day of April A D, 1915.

Edman H Strickland, Chairman of Selectmen  
Horace W Ward, Town Clerk

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- 491 Know all men by these presents That we J A Verchot, H W Ward & E P Twining of the town of Sandisfield County of Berkshire as principal, and Jules A Verchot and H. W. Ward, E P Twining surities of said town, as sureties, are held and firmly bound unto the Treasurer, of the said town of Sandisfield in the sum of one thousand dollars, to which payment, well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves and our legal representatives.

The condition of this obligation is such that whereas the above bounden Jules A Verchot has this day been licensed by license No. One by the Board of Selectmen of the town of Sandisfield in the County of Berkshire now if the said Jules A





491 Verchot shall well and truly comply with all the provisions of law under which said license is issued, and shall also pay all damages incurred by violation of such provisions of law, then this bond shall be void, but otherwise in force.  
In witness whereof we hereunto set our hands and seals this twenty eight day of April in the year 1915.

Signed and sealed in presence of  
E H Strickland) Jules A Verchot  
Oscar Rundle ) H W Ward  
E P Twining

Attest H W Ward, Town Clerk

492 Second Class License

No. 1 1917-1918

To sell malt liquor, cider and light wines to be drunk on the premises.

This is to certify that the Board of Selectmen of the Town of Sandisfield, have granted a License to Charles D. Strickland doing business at New Boston Inn, Village of New Boston in the barroom on the first floor of said Inn, to sell, expose, or keep for sale, Until May 1st, 1918 Malt Liquors, Cider and Light Wines, (Containing not more than Fifteen Per Centime of Alcohol,) to be Drunk on the Premises.

This License is subject to the conditions of Chapter 100, Revised Laws of Massachusetts and Amendments thereof:-

- First - That the provisions in regard to the nature of the License, and the building in which the business may be carried on under it, shall be strictly adhered to.
- Second - That no sale of spirituous or intoxicating liquor shall be made between the hours, specified in said Chapter 100 Revised Laws of Massachusetts and Amendments thereof.
- Third - That no Liquor except such as is of Good Standard Quality and free from adulterations shall be kept or sold on the premises described in the license.
- Fourth - That no sale or delivery of liquor shall be made on the premises described in the license to a person known to be a drunkard, to an intoxicated person, or to a person who is known to have been intoxicated within the six months last preceeding, or to a minor, either for his own use, the use of his parents, or of any other person, or, unless upon the prescription of a duly registered physician, to a person known to have been supported in whole or in part by public charity at any time during the twelve months last preceeding the date of the license.
- 493 Fourth - That there shall be no disorder, indecency, prostitution, lewdness, illegal gaming on the licensed premises or on any premises connected therewith by an interior communication.
- Sixth - That the license, or a copy thereof certified by the Recording Officer of the Licensing Board or by the Clerk of the City or Town by which it is issued, shall be displayed on the premises, in a conspicuous position, where it can easily be read.
- Seventh - That the License shall be subject to forfeiture, as herein provided, for breach of any of its conditions; and that, if the licensee is convicted of a violation of any such conditions, his license shall thereupon become void.

Each license of the first five classes shall be subject to the further conditions that the licensee shall not sell, give away or deliver on the licensed premises any intoxicating liquors on a legal holiday as defined in section five of chapter eight on any day on which a national, state, city or annual town election is held in the





493 city or town in which the licensed premises are situated, except the day of an  
election in a city if such election is not required to be held in the ward in which  
the licensed premises situcated; but this condition shall not apply to a wholesale  
494 druggist who, on the day of an election as aforesaid, sells, gives away or delivers  
intoxicating liquors on the licensed premises, nor to an innkeeper who sells, gives  
away or delivers in his inn any intoxicating liquor to a guest or who has resorted  
to his inn for food or lodging; but an innkeeper shall not upon such holiday sell,  
give away or deliver intoxicating liquor in his inn under a fourth or fifth class  
license.

Each license of the first three classes shall be subject to the further condi-  
tion that the licensee shall hold a license as an innholder or common victualler and  
that he shall not serve any spirituous or intoxicating liquor at a table or tables  
in any rooms in which the exclusive or principal business carried on is the sale of  
such liquors.

Each license of the first three classes issued to a common victualler shall  
specify the room or rooms in which such liquor shall be kept or sold, and the holder  
of such license shall not keep, sell or deliver any such liquors in any room or part  
of a building not so specified.

Each of the second, third, fifth or seventh class shall be subject to the fur-  
ther condition that no spirituous or intoxicating liquors except those the sale of  
which is allowed by the license shall be kept on the licensed premises.

This license is granted and accepted upon the Express Condition that the person  
or persons above licensed shall, in all respects, fulfil, and conform to, all re-  
quirements of the law; and that in case of any breach of either of said requirements  
this license shall become null and void.

495 In testimony Whereof, the undersigned have hereunto affixed their official sig-  
natures, this Fhirtieth day of April, A.D. 1917.

Frank M Rugg Chairman of Selectmen

Elisha L Sawyer Town Clerk

Attest Elisha L Sawyer Town Clerk

November 17th 1927 The Selectmen of Sandisfield Mass Give Edward A Soule a License  
to carry Firearms such as a pistol or Revolver for Protection of Pay Roll, November  
17, 1927 to November 17, 1928 unless revoked

Dated November 17th 1927

Henry Dodd ) Selectmen of  
Jason Sears ) Sandisfield

Town of Sandisfield June 15, 1937

This day the Selectmen of Sandisfield have appointed Max Margulies of Sandisfield  
for Constable Expires June 15, 1938

Sworn in June 18th 1937 by Town Clerk Jason Sears

Henry F Dodd ) Selectmen  
Frank E Hawley ) of  
Jason Sears ) Sandisfield

Town of Sandisfield Mass July 10, 1937

The Selectmen of Sandisfield have this day appointed Harry Weiss of Montville Town  
of Sandisfield a Special Police officer in said town  
Expires February 1st 1938

Henry F Dodd ) Selectmen  
Jason Sears ) of  
Frank E Hawley ) Sandisfield





To sell malt liquors, cider and light wines to be drunk of the premises

This is to certify that the Board of Selectmen of the Town of Sandisfield have granted a license to Charles D. Strickland doing business as the New Boston Inn, in the barroom on the first floor of said inn, to sell, expose, or keep for sale, until May 1, 1919, Malt Liquors, Cider and Light Wines (containing not more than fifteen per centime of alcohol,) to be Drunk on the Premises.

The License is subject to the conditions of Chapter 100, Revised Laws of Massachusetts and Amendments thereof:-

- First That the provisions in regard to the nature of the license, and the building in which the business may be carried on under it, shall be strictly adhered to.
- Second That no sale of spirituous or intoxicating liquor shall be made between the hours specified in said Chapter 100, Revised Laws of Massachusetts and Amendments thereof.
- Third That no liquor except such as is of Good Standard Quality and free from adulteration shall be kept or sold on the premises described in the license
- Fourth That No Sale or Delivery of liquor shall be made on the premises described in the license to a person known to be a drunkard, to an intoxicated person, or to a person who is known to have been intoxicated within the six months last preceeding, or to a minor, either for his own use, the use of the parents, or of any other person, or, unless upon the prescription of a duly registered physician, to a person known to have been supported in whole or in part of public charity at any time during the twelve months last preceeding the date of the license.
- 497 Fifth That there shall be no disorder, indecency, prostitution, lewdness, or illegal gaming on the licensed premises, or on any premises connected therewith by an interior communication.
- Sixth That the license, or copy thereof, certified by the recording officer of the licensing board or by the Clerk of the City or Town by which it is issued, shall be displayed on the premises in a conspicuous position, where it can easily be read.
- Seventh That the license shall be subject to forfeiture, as herein provided, for breach of any of its conditions; and that if the Licensee is convicted of a violation of any of such conditions, his license shall thereupon become void.

Each license of the first five classes shall be subject to the further conditions that the licensee shall not sell, give away or deliver on the licensed premises any intoxicating liquors on a legal holiday as defined in section five of Chapter eight or on any day on which a national, state, city or annual town election is held in the city or town in which the licensed premises are situated, except the day of an election in a city if such election is not required to be held in the ward in which the licensed premises are situated; but this condition shall not apply to a wholesale druggist, who, on the day of an election as aforesaid, sells, gives away or delivers intoxicating liquors on the premises, nor to an innkeeper who sells, gives away or delivers in his inn any intoxicating liquor to a guest who has resorted to his inn for food or lodging; but an inn keeper shall not upon such holiday sell, give away or deliver intoxicating liquor in his inn under a fourth or fifth class license.

498 Each license of the first three classes shall be subject to the further condition that the licensee shall hold a license as an innholder or common victualler and that he shall not serve any spirituous or intoxicating liquor at a table or tables in any room in which the exclusive or principle business carried on is the sale of such liquors.

Each license of the first three classes issued to a common victualler shall





498 specify the room or rooms in which such liquor shall be kept or sold, and the holder of such license shall not keep, sell or deliver any such liquors in any room or part of a building not so specified.

Each license of the second, third, fifth or seventh class shall be subject to the further condition that no spirituous or intoxicating liquors except those the sale of which is allowed by the license shall be kept on the licensed premises

This license is granted and accepted upon the Express Condition that the person or persons above licensed shall, in all respects, fulfil, and conform to, all the requirements of the law; and that in case of any breach of either of said requirements this License shall become null and void.

In Testimony Whereof, the undersigned have hereunto affixed their official signatures, this Thirtieth day of April A D 1918.

Frank M Rugg Chairman of Selectmen

Elisha L Sawyer Town Clerk

Attest Elisha L Sawyer Town Clerk

499 Second Class License

No. One 1919

To sell Malt Liquors, Cider and Light Wines To Be Drunk On The Premises

This is to certify that the Board of Selectmen of the Town of Sandisfield have granted a License to Charles D Strickland doing business at the barroom on the first floor of the New Boston Inn in the village of New Boston to sell, expose or keep for sale until July 1st 1919 Malt Liquor, Cider and Light Wines, (containing not more than fifteen Per Centime of alcohol) to be Drunk on the Premises. This license is subject to the conditions of Chapter 100, Revised Laws of Massachusetts and amendments thereof:-

First That the provisions in regard to the nature of the License and the building in which the business may be carried on under it, shall be strictly adhered to.

Second That no sale of spirituous or intoxicating liquors shall be made between the hours specified in said Chapter 100, Revised Laws of Massachusetts and amendments thereto.

Third That no Liquor except such as is of Good Standard Quality and free from adulteration shall be kept or sold on the premises described in the license

Fourth That No Sale or Delivery of Liquor shall be made on the premises described in the License to a person known To Be A Drunkard, to an Intoxicated Person, or to a Person Who Is Known To Have Been Intoxicated within the six months last preceding, or to a minor, either for his own use, the use of his parents, or of any other person, or, unless upon the prescription of a duly registered physician, to a person know to have been supported in whole or in part by public charity at any time during the twelve months last preceding the date of the license

Fifth That there shall be no disorder, indecenty, prostitution, lewdness or illegal gaming on the licensed premises or on any premises connected therewith by any interior communication.

Sixth That the License, or a copy thereof, certified by the Recording Officer of the Licensing Board or by the clerk of the City or Town by which it is issued, in a conspicuous position, where it can easily be read

Seventh That the License shall be subject to forfeiture, as herein provided, for breach of any of its conditions; and that, if the licensee is convicted of a violation of any of such conditions, his license shall thereupon become void.

Each license of the first five classes shall be subject to the further conditions that the licensee shall not sell give away or deliver on the licensed premises any





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election in a city if such election is not required to be held in the ward in which  
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501 sell, give away or deliver intoxicating liquor in his inn under a fourth or fifth  
class license.

Each license of the first three classes shall be subject to the further con-  
dition that the licensee shall hold a license as an innholder or common victualler  
and that he shall not serve any spirituous or intoxicating liquor at a table or  
tables in any room in which the exclusive or principal business carried on is the  
sale of such liquors.

Each license of the first three classes issued to a common victualler shall  
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of such license shall not keep, sell or deliver any such liquors in any room or part  
of a building not so specified.

Each license of the seconf, third, fifth or seventh class shall be subject to  
the further condition that no spirituous or intoxicating liquors except those the  
sale of which is allowed by the license shall be kept on licensed premises.

This license is granted and accepted upon the Express Condition that the per-  
son or persons above licensed shall, in all respects, fulfil, and conform to, all  
the requirments of the law; and that in case of any breach of either of said re-  
quirements this License shall becomw null and void.

502 In testimony Whereof, the undersigned have hereunto affixed their official  
signatures this First day of May A D 1919

Frank M. Rugg, chairman of Selectmen  
Arthur L Strickland Town Clerk

Attest Arthur L Strickland  
Town Clerk

503 Liquor and Beer Licenses 1938

Town of Sandisfield Mass

Walter Galaske	Beer & Wine License for 1938 \$100.00 Rec
Mrs Ethel W H Perkins	Granted all alcoholic License 1938 \$250.00 rec
Morris Immerman	granted a Beer & Wine License 1938 \$100.00 rec.
Mrs Louise Orso	Granted all alcoholic license 1938 Rec \$250.00
Clifford Palmer	Granted all alcoholic License 1938 Rec \$250.00





504 The Vote of Town Meeting held on February 7, 1938 (Warrant on Page 484)  
Polls open at 10 O'clock am 1938 Warrant read by the Town Clerk  
Moderator elected by ballot box  
Charles Allan Elected by 71 votes no one against him  
Eva Sears elected Checker - John B Kimberley Ballot box clerk  
Helen Goda and Samuel Wilbur Ballot Clerks All sworn in Feb 7th 1938  
166 Votes Cast

General Government Voted to raise \$2200.00 and Tax Collectors Salary comes out of this

Health Department inspection of Animals and Slaughters \$250.00

Highways Chapter 81 Voted to raise \$2000.00

Bridges Voted to raise \$1500.00

Opening roads in Winter Snow Voted to raise \$1000.00

Schools Voted to raise \$14,750.00

Welfare Voted to raise \$1000.00 - And able body men cut wood for wages

Selectmen see to it

Old Age Voted to raise \$2300.00

Compensation Act Workmens Voted to raise \$800.00

Public Library Voted to raise \$75.00 and the Dog fund or Tax from 1937 refunded from County

Interest Voted to raise \$260.00

Contingent fund Fires Voted to raise \$300.00

Electric lights at Town Hall Voted to raise \$9.00

505 Art 1 Bonded Officers Voted to raise \$55.00

Art 2 Voted that the Town Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen be and hereby is authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January first 1938 and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with section 17 Chapter 44 General Laws

Art 3 Montville road Chapter 90 Voted to raise \$1500.00

And Bridge by Bellows Montville road Chapt 90 \$1500.00

Art 4 Voted to raise for Cemeteries : \$75.00

Art 5

Art 6 Liquor and Beer Money Voted to use if to lower the 1938 taxes

Art 7 Voted to accept the Town reports and send stamp for reports and mail early

Art 8 Voted to accept the Jurymen as presented by the Selectmen

Art 9 Voted to trap animals

Art 10 Passed

Art 11 Voted not to build a Toilet for Library

Art 12 Voted to raise \$40.00 for Steel Cabinet for Treasurer

Art 13 Gravelling New Hartford Road Voted No

Art 14 Widen the Hawley road Voted No

Art 15 Voted to buy a new Diesel Tractor and Voted to pay from free cash \$1500.00 and from Taxes \$1500.00

Voted to pay Dr Henry Erbe of Otis Mass for 1938 Service \$500.00

Calls day time \$2.00 and night calls \$3.00 per call

Schools and Old age free

Art 16 Passed no

506

John B Kimberley Deputy fire Waren Sworn in February 7, 1938

New Truck for the Town Voted 42 yes and 58 no No truck



506 Brick School House on the New Hartford road  
Voted to be removed by owner William Tinson from the New Hartford road  
Selectmen gave it to Mr William Tinson

Voted to buy 2 dozen chairs and one speakers mallot for the Town Hall and  
chairs to remain in Town Hall and not to be lent to no one

Road Superintendent not to be one of the Selectmen

Voted 33 yes and 16 no

Then Voted again that Selectmen may be road Superintendent

Yes 51 - No 41

Deputy fire Warden by John B Kimberley Elected by Mr Kimberley

Sworn in Marvin Rowley

" " Howard Spring

" " Charles Wells

Polls Closed at 4 Pm and Ballots counted by Eva Sears 7 Sam Wilbur and  
Francis Smith and Samuel Steinbough

166 Ballots Cast and the results were as follows

Town Clerk for one year

Jason Sears 124 Votes

Town Treasurer for one year

Charles Allan Dem 107 Votes

William Klingler Rep 49 Votes

507 Selectmen for one year

Frank E Hawley Rep & Dem 102 Votes

Jason Sears Rep & Dem 103 Votes

Henry F Dodd Dem 104 Votes

Charles A Riiska Rep 72 Votes

Assessor for three years

Gustave Riiska Rep 67 Votes

Meyer Lavine Dem 87 Votes

School Committee for three years

Stanley Koloski Rep 40 Votes

William Rowley Dem 116 Votes

Library Trustees for three years

Lena Marchi Dem 43 Votes

Mrs Amenia Crocker Rep 107 Votes

Constable for one year

Joseph O'Brien Dem & Rep 97 Votes

John Soldan Dem 70 Votes

Charles Wells Rep 97 Votes

Auditor one year

Mrs Ada Rowley Dem 103 Votes

Mrs Emma Pottinger Rep 46 Votes

Tax Collector for one year

William W Smith Rep 69 Votes

Max Margulies Dem 87 Votes

A true copy attest

Jason Sears

Town Clerk of Sandisfield Mass

February 7, 1938





Selectmen organized February 9, 1938

Joseph O'Brien and Howard Spring inspectors of Slaughters

Joseph O'Brien inspector of Animals

Lewis Goda appointed Sealer of Weights and Measures and see that all pumps are sealed and licensed on May 1st 1938

Tree Warden Henry F Dodd

Road Superintendent Henry Dodd

Charles Allan to see to old age welfare department

Dave Stein to pay his Stamping fees as he pays nothing to the Town for same

509 Special Town Meeting held Various Articles that were forgotten at out Annual Town Meeting

Warrant

Commonwealth of Massachusetts Berkshire SS

To the Constable of the Town of Sandisfield

Greeting

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town of Sandisfield qualified to vote in election and Town affairs to meet at the Town Hall on Monday the 21st day of February 1938 at two o'clock A M for the following purposes Viz:

To choose a Moderator

- Art 1 To see if the Town will vote and raise money for Machinery fund
- Art 2 To see if the Town will vote to sell the old Scraper and other Junk
- Art 3 To vote to appoint some Field Drivers
- Art 4 Vote to appoint Fence Viewers
- Art 5 Vote to raise money for Chairs for the Town Hall
- Art 6 and Vote for other items that may come before said meeting
- Vote for Flags for Decoration day for Soldiers graves

The polls will be open at 10 O'clock A M and may be closed at 1 o'clock P M, and you are directed to serve this warrant by posting true and attested copies thereof in three public places within the Town of Sandisfield seven days at least before the time of said meeting hereof fail not and make due returns of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at or before the time of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands at Sandisfield this 14th day of February 1938.

Henry F Dodd ) Selectmen  
Jason Sears ) of  
Frank E Hawley ) Sandisfield

Charles Wells  
Constable of Sandisfield

Attest  
Jason Sears  
Town Clerk





10 O'clock to 1 O'clock PM 1938  
Special Town Meeting held February 21st 1938

Warrant read by the Town Clerk

Voted to have Charles Allan for Moderator

Art 1 Voted by the Town to raise for Machinery fund \$1000.00 and to raise \$469.69 left over from 1937

Art 2 Voted by the selectmen to sell the old Scraper and Junk

Art 3 Field Drivers voted to have the same as last year

Samuel Steinbauch Town Hill and Montville

Vasiley Gregoski Sandisfield

Arthur Church New Boston

Pound Keeper

Samuel Steinbauch

Art 4 Voted to the Town to have the Selectmen serve Same

Art 5 Voted by the Town to use the money rec from the old Scraper and other Junk to pay for the Town Hall Chairs in the hands of the Selectmen

Art 6 Voted by the Town to raise \$5.00 for Flags Decoration Day for Soldiers graves

Voted by the Town to raise \$300.00 for Wood Chopping Welfare Voted to pay \$1.50 per cord. Voted to sell the wood to the highest bidder in lots to be cut four feet lengths piled good

West Street wasent plowed out the snow Storm on Feb 20 as the roads to rutty and narrow trucker wouldent work

Office equipment for the Tax Collector and Town Clerk  
Voted no

W.P.A no Vote

Constable Max Margulies Sworn in for 1938  
Elected by Selectmen

Motion made and Sec to close the meeting

Attest a true Copy Jason Sears Town Clerk of Sandisfield

511 (Beginning of a warrant - crossed out)

512 Special Town Meeting held September 7, 1938  
Commonwealth of Massachusetts Berkshire S.S.

To the Constable of the Town of Sandisfield - Greeting

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town of Sandisfield qualified to vote in Election and Town affairs to meet at the Town Hall in September 7, 1938 8 PM to 9 PM

Article 1 To see if the Town will vote to appropriate Eight Hundred Dollars for Surplus revenue for Welfare Department

Art 2 To see if the Town will vote to transfer Three Hundred dollars Work relief fund to W.P.A. for gravel & etc

Art 3 To see if the Town will vote to transfer \$1500.00 dollars that was raise for Chapter 90 Bridge work and use it for Chapter 90 road work



512 And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting true and attested copies thereof in three public places within the Town of Sandisfield seven days at least before the time of said meeting hereof fail not and make due returns to the Town Clerk at or before the time of holding said meeting

Given under our hands at Sandisfield this 30 day of August 1938

Henry F Dodd  
Jason Sears      Selectmen of  
Frank E Hawley   Sandisfield

A True Copy attest Jason Sears  
Town Clerk of Sandisfield

Joseph O'Brien  
Constable of Sandisfield

513 Special Town Meeting September 7, 1938

Meeting called to and warrant read by the Town Clerk at 8 P M  
Voted to have Charles Allan for Moderator  
The Vote as follows

Art 1 Voted to appropriate \$800.00 dollars from Surplus overlay funds for Welfare Voted by ballott 48 yes - 7 no

Art 2      Transfer \$300.00 relief funds to W.P.A. provided the Town gets a  
             project this year

Art 3 Chapter 90 Bridge money of \$1500.00 dollars called montville bridge  
Transfer to Chapter 90 road work Provided the usual allotments received  
from State and County  
Voted 57 yes - 3 no

Voted to close the meeting

Attest a true copy  
Jason Sears  
Town Clerk of Sandisfield

514 State Primaries held at Sandisfield Town Hall on September 20th  
Polls open one Oclock P M to 5 P M  
The results as follows

Republican Side - 31 Votes Cast as follows

Governor

Frederick Butler	1	votes
William H McMasters	1	"
Leverett Saltonstall	25	"
Richard Whitcomb	3	"
Lieutenant Governor		
Dewey G Archambault	2	"
Horace T Cahill	2	"
J Watson Fleet	0	"
Charles P Howard	18	"
Kenneth D Johnson	5	"
Robert Gardner Wilson	4	"





514	Treasurer		
	William E Hurley	20	votes
	Alonzo B Cook	29	"
	John J Hurley	3	"
	Secretary		
	Frederick W Cook	30	"
	Auditor		
	Carl D Goodwin	9	"
	Russell A Wood	19	"
	Attorney General		
	Howe Coolidge Ames	14	"
	Clarence A Barnes	8	"
	Frank F Walters	5	"
	Congressman		
	Allan T Treadway	30	"
	James H Whittmore	1	"
	Councillor		
	William Dwight	15	"
	Arthur A Hastings	14	"
515	Senator		
	Edward L Olander		
	Representative		
	Paul W Foster		
	District Attorney		
	Dudley B Wallace		
	County Commissioners		
	Joseph H Chaquette	4	votes
	John Henderson	11	"
	Leland P Jenks	0	"
	Frank P McLean	4	"
	Archie J Pratt	9	"
	Sheriff		
	Delegates State Convention		
	Alfred A Carter Sandisfield		

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516	Democratic Side 1938		
	Governor		
	Charles F Hurley	12	votes
	James M Curley	19	"
	Francis E Kelly	7	"
	Richard M Russell	6	"
	Lieutenant Governor		
	James Henry Brennan	9	"
	Edward T Collins	12	"
	Alexander F Sullivan	10	"
	Joseph C White	6	"
	William P Yocag	1	"
	Secretary		
	William J Ahearne	6	"
	John M Bresnahan	2	"
	Henry Clay	8	"
	Katherine A Foley	9	"
	William F Sullivan	6	"
	John H Wallace	4	"



516    Treasurer

William F Barrett	11 votes
Ernest Joseph Brown	4 "
William H Burke Jr	3 "
Joseph W Doherty	6 "
Owen Gallagher	1 "
John Frederick Harkins	0 "
Daniel J Honan	1 "
John J McGrath	5 "

Auditor

Thomas H Buckley	21 "
John J Barry	5 "
Leo D Walsh	4 "

Attorney General  
Paul A Devor

Congressman  
Owen Johnson

517    Councillor

William H Burns	8 votes
Frank Hurley	13 "
Daniel M Walsh Jr	16 "

Senator

Rose M Hayes	17 "
George E Kelly	19 "

Representative in General Court  
No names

District Attorney  
Thomas F Morarity

County Commissioners

James M Coughlin	31 "
James P Carlow	4 "
Mary V Lyons	5 "

Sheriff Berkshire County  
Frank T Coughlin

Delegates State Convention

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518    Continued from page 544 (County Road from Otis to Colebrook Ct) 1927

thousand four hundred ninety (19,490) square feet.

Parcel No 6    Douglass K Brown

A parcel of land on the southeast side of the Colebrook Road in Sandisfield as shown on said "Plan of Colebrook Road in Sandisfield, Layout of 1927" filed in the office of the said Clerk of Courts, and extending from station 91/95/ to station 94/52/.43 and containing an area of two thousand ninety (2,090) square feet

Parcel No. 7    Douglass K Brown

A parcel of land on the southeast side of the Colebrook Road in Sandisfield as shown on said "Plan of Colebrook Road in Sandisfield, Layout of 1927" filed in the office of the said Clerk of Courts, and extending from station 101/80/ to station /108/13/ and containing an area of four thousand twenty (4,025) square feet.

Parcel No. 8    Harrison K Slaker and Frederick I Anderson

A parcel of land on the easterly side of the Colebrook Road in Sandisfield as shown on said "Plan of Colebrook Road in Sandisfield, Layout of 1927" filed in the office of the said Clerk of Courts, and extending from station 108/11/ to station 126/76/ and containing an area of thirty thousand (30,000) square feet.





518

Parcel No. 9 Harrison K Slaker

A parcel of land on the easterly side of the Colebrook Road in Sandisfield as shown on said "Plan of Colebrook Road in Sandisfield, Layout of 1927" filed in the office of the said Clerk of Courts, and extending from station 110/44/ to station 113/85/ and containing an area of one thousand one hundred forty-five (1,145) square feet

Parcel No. 10 Frederick I & Emma L Anderson

519

A parcel of land on the southwest side of the Colebrook Road in Sandisfield as shown on said "Plan of Colebrook Road in Sandisfield, Layout of 1927" filed in the office of the said Clerk of Courts, and extending from station 113/85/ to station 122/89/ and containing an area of eight thousand three hundred ninety (8,390) square feet.

Parcel No. 11 Edward Fargo Estate (Homer T & Mary Fargo)

A parcel of land on the southwest side of the Colebrook Road in Sandisfield as shown on said Plan of Colebrook Road in Sandisfield, Layout of 1927" filed in the office of the said Clerk of Courts and extending from station 127/60/ to station 129/87/ and containing an area of seven thousand four hundred ten (7,410) square feet

Parcel No. 12 Edward Fargo Estate (Homer T & Mary Fargo)

A parcel of land on the southwest side of the Colebrook Road in Sandisfield, Layout of 1927" filed in the office of the said Clerk of Courts, and extending from station 129/18/ to station 144/31/ and containing an area of sixty six thousand and thirty (66,030) square feet

Parcel No. 13 Edward Fargo Estate (Homer T & Mary Fargo)

A parcel of land on the southwest side of the Colebrook Road in Sandisfield as shown on said "Plan of Colebrook Road in Sandisfield, Layout of 1927" filed in the office of the said Clerk of Courts, and extending from station 142/30/ to station 144/47/ and containing an area of one thousand six hundred fifty (1,650) square feet

Parcel No. 14 Dominick and Caterina Campetti

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A parcel of land on the northeast side of the Colebrook Road in Sandisfield as shown on said "Plan of Colebrook Road in Sandisfield, Layout of 1927" filed in the office of the said Clerk of Courts, and extending from station 144/28 to station 173/94 and containing an area of seventy-one thousand nine hundred fifty (9,950) feet.

Parcel No. 15 Dominick and Caterina Campetti

A parcel of land on the southwest side of the Colebrook Road in Sandisfield as shown on said "Plan of Colebrook Road in Sandisfield, Layout of 1927" filed in the office of the said Clerk of Courts, and extending from station 144/44/ to station 150/11/ and containing an area of four thousand two hundred sixty (4,260) square feet

Parcel No. 16 Dominick and Caterina Campetti

A parcel of land on the southwest side of the Colebrook Road in Sandisfield as shown on said "Plan of Colebrook Road in Sandisfield, Layout of 1927" filed in the office of the said Clerk of Courts, and extending from station 160/02/ to station 169/58/ and containing an area of ten thousand eight hundred thirty (10,830) square feet

Parcel No. 17 Clarence E Deming

A parcel of land on the westerly side of the Colebrook Road in Sandisfield as shown on said "Plan of Colebrook Road, Layout of 1927" filed in the office of the said Clerk of Courts, extending from station 172/80/ to station 179/09 and containing an area of six thousand four hundred twenty-five (6,425) square feet.

Parcel No. 18 Clarence E Deming

A parcel of land on the easterly side of the Colebrook Road in Sandisfield as shown on said "Plan of Colebrook Road in Sandisfield, Layout of 1927" filed in the office of the said clerk of courts, and extending from station 173/94/ to station 176/71 and containing an area of three thousand six hundred fifty (3,650) square feet.

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Parcel No. 19 Henrietta Clark

A parcel of land in the easterly side of the Colebrook Road in Sandisfield as shown on said "Plan of the Colebrook Road in Sandisfield, Layout of 1927" filed in the office of the said Clerk of Courts and extending from station 176/71/ to station 192/05 and containing an area of twelve thousand sixty (12,060) square feet.





## Parcel No. 20 Henrietta Clark

A parcel of land on the westerly side of the Colebrook Road in Sandisfield as shown on said "Plan of Colebrook Road in Sandisfield, Layout of 1927" filed in the said Clerk of Courts office, and extending from station 178/94/ to station 192/08/ and containing an area of fifteen thousand nine hundred forty (15,940) square feet

## Parcel No. 21 Heirs of Edson P Twining

A parcel of land on the easterly side of the Colebrook Road in Sandisfield as shown on said "Plan of Colebrook Road in Sandisfield, Layout of 1927" in the office filed of the said Clerk of Courts, and extending from station 192/05/ to station 203/95/ and containing an area of eight thousand six hundred fifty five (8,655) square feet

## Parcel No. 22 Jason Sears

A parcel of land on the westerly side of the Colebrook Road in Sandisfield as shown on said "Plan of Colebrook Road in Sandisfield, Layout of 1927" filed in the office of the said Clerk of Courts, and extending from station 192/07/ to station 207/00/ and containing an area of twenty-four thousand three hundred seventy (24,370) square feet.

## Parcel No. 23 Heirs of Edson P Twining

A parcel of land on the northeasterly side of the Colebrook Road in Sandisfield as shown on said "Plan of Colebrook Road in Sandisfield, Layout of 1927" filed in the office of the said Clerk of Courts and extending from station 205/86/ to station 213/01/ and containing an area of two thousand seventy (2,070) square feet.

## Parcel No. 24 Town of Sandisfield

A parcel of land on the westerly side of the Colebrook Road in Sandisfield as shown on said plan of Colebrook Road in Sandisfield, Layout of 1927" filed in the office of the said Clerk of Courts, and extending from station 207/00/ to station 208/44/ and containing an area of six hundred ninety (690) square feet.

## Parcel No. 25 Jason Sears

A parcel of land on the westerly side of the Colebrook Road in Sandisfield as shown on said "Plan of Colebrook River Road in Sandisfield, Layout of 1927" filed in the office of the said Clerk of Courts and extending from station 208/44/ to station 212/13 and containing an area of two thousand three hundred ninety-five (2,395) square feet.

## Parcel No. 26 Helen Bliss

A parcel of land on the westerly side of the Colebrook Road in Sandisfield as shown on said "Plan of Colebrook Road in Sandisfield, Layout of 1927" filed in the office of the said Clerk of Courts, and extending from station 212/60 to station 215/23 and containing an area of two thousand two hundred twenty (2,220) square feet

## Parcel No. 27 Dominick and Caterina Campetti

A parcel of land on the easterly side of the Colebrook Road in Sandisfield as shown on said "Plan of Colebrook Road in Sandisfield, Layout of 1927" filed in the office of the said Clerk of Courts, and extending from station 213/01 to station 217/24/ and containing an area of one thousand seven hundred sixty-five (1,765) square feet

## Parcel No. 28 Heirs of Edson P Twining

A parcel of land on the westerly side of the Colebrook Road in Sandisfield as shown on said "Plan of Colebrook Road in Sandisfield, Layout of 1927" filed in the office of said Clerk of Courts, and extending from station 215/23/ to station 219/33/ and containint an area of two thousand four hundred seventy (2,470) square feet.

## Parcel No. 29 Louis Reutter

A parcel of land on the southwesterly side of the Colebrook Road in Sandisfield as shown on said "Plan of Colebrook Road in Sandisfield, Layout of 1927" filed in the office of the said Clerk of Courts, and extending from station 207/22 to station 205/88/ and containing an area of two thousand four hundred sixty (2,460) square feet.

## Parcel No. 30 Luther Strickland

A parcel of land on the northeasterly side of Colebrook Road in Sandisfield as shown





523 on said "Plan of Colebrook Road in Sandisfield, Layout of 1927" filed in the office of the said Clerk of Courts, and extending from station 207/08/ to station 206/60/ and containing an area of three hundred thirty (330) square feet.

Parcel No. 30 Stein and Cohn

524 A parcel of land on the southwesterly side of the Colebrook Road in Sandisfield as shown on said "Plan of Colebrook Road in Sandisfield, Layout of 1927" filed in the office of the said Clerk of Courts and extending from station 200/99/ to station 200/13.76 and containing an area of five hundred twenty-five (525) square feet.

Damages for said takings are awarded as follows:-

Josephine DuBois	\$1.00
Douglass K Brown	\$1 00
Harrison K Slaker	\$1 00
Harrison K Slaker and Frederick I Anderson	\$1 00
Frederick I and Emma L Anderson	\$1 00
Homer T and Mary G Fargo	\$503 00
Dominick & Caterina Campetti	\$1 00
Clarence E Deming	\$200.00
Henrietta Clark	\$200 00
Edson P Twining	\$1 00
Jason Sears	\$1 00
Town of Sandisfield	0.00
Helen Bliss	\$1 00
Louis Reutter	\$500 00
Luther Strickland	\$1 00
Stein and Cohn	\$1 00

Owners shall be allowed until May 1, 1928 to remove any buildings on the above described premises.

Said damages are to be paid by the town of Sandisfield

Frank Howard  
Robert S Tillotson  
John Henderson  
County Commissioners

A true copy  
Attest  
Irving H Gamwell  
Clerk of Courts

A true copy attest:-  
Jason Sears  
Town Clerk  
of Sandisfield  
  
Emily J. Clark  
Assistant



## Special Town Meeting held October 10, 1938

Commonwealth of Massachusetts Berkshire SS

To the Constable of the Town of Sandisfield

Greeting

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town of Sandisfield qualified to vote in Elections and Town Affairs to meet at the Town Hall on Monday October 10th 1938 at 7 P M to 9 P M

To see if the Town will vote to use the rest of Chapter 90 money for the roads that were damaged by the last flood and not do any more work on the Sandisfield Center road called Chapter 90 until next year

The polls will be open at 7 O'clock P M and you are directed to serve this warrant by posting true and attested copies thereof in three public places within the Town of Sandisfield Seven days at least before the time of holding said meeting hereof fail not and make due returns of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at or before the time of holding said meeting

Given under our hands at Sandisfield Oct 3, 1939

Henry F Dodd ) Selectmen  
Jason Sears ) of  
Frank E Hawley ) Sandisfield

A true copy attest - Joseph O'Brien Constable of Sandisfield

—  
This special Town Meeting held on October the 10th  
Charles Allan Moderator

Article - To see if the balance of Chapter 90 money left after completion of the present job as laid out be the department of Public Works be used in conjunction with W P A Project for flood repairs

Voted to use it

Voted to close

Attest

Jason Sears

Town Clerk of  
Sandisfield

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Canvass of Votes  
For REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT NO. 5

Berkshire, ss.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

The undersigned, clerks of the several towns comprising the Representative District No. Five (5), in said County, met at the Town Clerk's office in Great Barrington, at twelve o'clock noon, on Friday, the 18th day of November, 1938, and hereby certify that they did then and there examine all the attested copies of the records of the votes of the aforementioned towns at their several meetings on Tuesday, November 8, 1939, the result being as follows:

The whole number of votes cast was 4151

Name	Great Barrington	Stockbridge	Sheffield	West Stockbridge	Egremont	Alford	Mt. Washington	Sandisfield	New Marlboro	Monterey	Total
Paul W Foster	1881	610	538	335	217	70	30	100	253	107	4141
Frank R Constance	1								2	1	4
Joseph J Keresey				1							1
Thomas Graham				1							1
Harry Klein				1							1
Wesley Ward									1		1
William McCarthy									1		1
Charles Viola									1		1

And the said Paul W. Foster was declared elected

(Attest)

Ruth F Oorhaw	Town Clerk of Great Barrington
Adam Schilling	Town Clerk of Stockbridge
Carlton W French	Town Clerk of Sheffield
Winthrop F Slusun	Town Clerk of West Stockbridge
Ray D Patterson	Town Clerk of Egremont
George A Germain	Town Clerk of Alford
P M Weaver	Town Clerk of Mount Washington
Jason Sears	Town Clerk of Sandisfield
Agnes Murray	Town Clerk of New Marlboro
Frank M Harmon	Town Clerk of Monterey



Sandisfield polls open at 7 o'clock a m - Ballot box ready and commenced to vote  
 at 7:30 a m - All alone Hawley or Dodd not there - Polls open at 7:30 Nov 8 1939  
 147 Ballots cast 47 Democrats 31 Republicans

The results were as follows

#### Governor

Henning A Blomen	Socialist	0
Roland S Bruneau	Independent	1
Jeffrey W Campbell	Socialist	0
James M Curley	Dem	78
William A Davenport	Independent tax	0
Otis Archer Hood	Communist Party	0
Charles L Manser	Sound Sensible Gov	2
William H McMasters	Recovery plan	2
Leverett Saltonstall	Rep	62
George L Thompson	Prohibition	0

#### Lieutenant Governor

Manuel Blank	C Party	2
James Henry Brenman	Dem	79
Horace T Cahill	Rep	62
Freeman W Folett	Prob	0
Joseph F Massidda	Soci	0
George L McGlynn	Soc	2

#### Secretary

Frederick W Cook	Rep	65
Hugo De Gregory	Com party	2
Katherine A Foley	Dem	76
Eileen O'Connor Lane	Soc	0
Malcolm T Roe	Soc	0

#### Treasurer

Frank L Asher	Com party	1
Albert Sprague Coolidge		2
Owen Gallagher		76
John J Hurley		1
William E Hurley		68
Ralph Pirone		1

#### 528 Auditor

Thomas H Buckley		78
Michael C Flaherty		3
Horace J Hillis		1
Michael Tuysuzian		0
Guy S Williams		0
Russell A Wood		63

#### Attorney General

Clarence A Barns		65
Paul A Dever		83
Joseph C Figueredo		2
George F Hogan		1
Alfred Baker Lewis		1
Fred E Oelcher		0

#### Congressman

Owen Johnson		74
Allen F Treadway		71

#### Councillor

Arthur A Hastings		64
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528	Frank Hurley	76
	Walter S Hutchins	0
	Senator	
	George E Kelly	82
	Edwin L Olander	60
	Representative	
	Paul W Foster	100
	District Attorney	
	Thomas F Morasily	91
	Dudley B Wallace	53
	County Commissioners	
	James M Coughlin	87
	John Henderson	58
	Sheriff	
	Frank T Coughlin	87
	James Bruce McIntyre	59

529 Question No 1 Amendment Constitution  
 Yes 59 No 29  
 Question No 2 Taxicab Stands  
 Yes 46 No 39  
 Liquor question No 1 Shall licenses by granted  
 Yes 89 No 23  
 Question 2  
 Yes 81 No 14  
 Question 3  
 Yes 74 No 21  
 Horse Racing  
 Yes 73 No 29  
 Dog Racing  
 Yes 60 No 36

Polls closed at 7 30 P M

Attest Jason Sears Town Clerk of Sandisfield Mass

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Special Town Meeting  
 Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
 Berkshire, S.S.

To the Constable of the Town of Sandisfield

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town of Sandisfield qualified to vote in election and town affairs to meet at the Town Hall on July the 18th day in the evening at 8 to 9 P M

Article 1 To see if the town will vote to accept the provisions of Chapter 152 of the general laws of Mass. and also that the terms laborers, workmen and mechanics as used in Sections 69 to 75, inclusive shall include such other employes, except members of the police or fire depts, regardless of the nature of their work, as may be employed on highway work to be so done.



- 530 2 To see if the town will vote to rescind the vote on Chapter 90  
appropriation made at the annual Town Meeting  
3 To see if the town will vote to raise \$1,000.00 for Chapter 90  
maintenance  
4 To see if the town will vote to raise an additional \$1,000.00  
appropriation for Chapter 81 work 34 - yes, 15 - no, 1 - blank  
5 To see if the town will vote to raise \$86.26 for fire insurance  
for the Town Hall. Yes unanimous

The polls will be open at 8 o'clock P M and may be closed at 9 o'clock P M,  
and you are directed to serve this warrant by posting true and attested copies  
thereof in three public places within the town of Sandisfield, seven days, at  
least before the time of said meeting hereof, fail not and make due returns of  
this warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at or before the time of  
531 holding said meeting.

Given under our hands at Sandisfield this 11th day of July 1939.

Henry F Dodd ) Selectmen  
Jason Sears ) of  
Frank E Hawley ) Sandisfield

Constable of Sandisfield  
Charles A. Wells

Special Town Meeting Held July the 18 in the evening  
Warrant read and Meeting opened. C J Allen elected by a yes vote  
Carl Merbaum tally sheet voters list, Meyer Lavine Clerk for ballot box

- Art 1 Motion made & Sec. Voted yes unanimously  
Art 2 Received the vote on Chapter 90 Our town raised \$4,000.00.  
Voted to rescind the vote. Voted yes  
Art 3 \$1,000.00 maintenance Chapter 90. Voted to raise \$1,000.00 yes  
if we receive from State & County.  
Art 4 81 work voted to raise on Chapter 81, \$1,000.00 Voted by ballot  
box. Tickets motion made to open box. Tickets counted yes 34 - no 15  
1 blank  
Art 5 Town Hall insurance \$86.26 Voted yes unanimously

Meeting closed  
Jason Sears  
Town Clerk

Charles Allen  
Moderator

- 532 (See "G" thru "O" front of book for 1940 entries)  
(See "P" thru "T" front of book for 1941 entries)

- 533 (Blank")





New Boston, Mass. Sept. 3, 1917

Mr. William Hill  
President, The Collins Company  
Collinsville Conn.

Dear Sir:-

We the owners of riparian rights who use power along the Farmington in the Town of Sandisfield, Mass., have been hard put to it during these last four days from lack of water due to the reservoir gates being closed for the holiday period. An increasing number are using power hydro-electric plants for light and cooking; in addition there are the older established shops run by water wheels which have perforce come to a dead stop. All of us appreciate the advantages we derive from the maintenance of the Otis reservoir by the water company, without cost to us. For this reason probably, the occasional interruptions seem more irritating. Most of our plants are small units; for instance, my own electric plant gets along on 800 cubic feet per minute -- but when the reservoir is cut off entirely, during the low stages of the river, we are left high and dry.

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My reading of the water company's charter is that the company in the beginning made ample provision to protect the rights of the lower riparian owners, when they diverted the flow from part of the water shed to form the reservoir. Certainly the reservoir has been a great boon to all of us along the river. If, during the periods of shut down, the man at the gates were instructed to see that the natural flow of the old river continued to pass over the spillway, as provided in the charter, all our own wants would be supplied.

The shut downs usually coming on Sundays or holidays, when we have our houses full of guests, and are particularly in need the conveniences supplied by electricity. Also this last shut-down seriously inconvenienced two of our shops with rush orders on hand, the result being that their hands were idle, and the work held in abeyance.

I think you understand that we approach you on this subject in the most friendly spirit. I asked Mr. Wesley Clark, our postmaster, for your name; and I am addressing you personally, instead of the Massachusetts holding company. I am

Very Truly yours  
Signed (Frederick Irving Henderson)

Sandisfield Mass., Sept. 12, 1917

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The attached carbon copy letter is a true carbon copy of a letter sent by mail be me, Frederick Irving Henderson as an owner of unfeigned riparian rights on the Farmington River in the Town of Sandisfield, Mass., on Sept. 3, 1917, to Mr. Wm Hill president of the Collins Company, Collinsville, Conn., said company being the principal owner of the Otis reservoir situated in the towns of Tolland, Otis and Blanford in the State of Massachusetts, said reservoir being formed of a section of the natural water-shed of said Farmington River in the State of Massachusetts.

Frederick Irving Henderson

Wesley N. Clark) Witnesses  
Henry W. Soule )

Attest Elisha L Sawyer  
Town Clerk

Filed and recorded Sept. 12, 1917





Berkshire S S

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In pursuance of an order of notice, on the petition of Frederick P Whitney, Henry F Dodd and Frank E Hawley, representing the comon Convenience and neccsity require the relocation and alteration of the Old Farmington river Turnpike, now known as the Colebrook Road, in the Town of Sandisfield, beginning at the north-erly end of the 1926 State highway layout and extending northerly for a distance of about three miles to a point in or near the Village of New Boston, as is more at large set forth in said petition on file in the office of the Clerk of Courts for said county. Which order was passed at a meeting of the County Commissioners holden at Pittsfield, within and for said County, on the first of February, 1927. The board met at the Town Hall in Sandisfield on April 7th, 1927 at 2:30 O'clock in the afternoon, the time and place appointed in said order, for the purpose of Viewing the route, hearing the parties and determining what should be done in the premises, it then appearing to the board that Town of Sandisfield and all persons and corporations interested in said petition had been duly and legally notified in all respects as required by law and in accordance with said order as appears from the officers return on a copy of said petition and order which is on file in the office of said Clerk of Courts, and the petitioners and divers other citizens of said Town being present, the board proceded to hear parties upon the question of public convenience and necessity and no person objected to the relocation and layout as prayed for, at the close of which hearing the board proceded to view the route indicated in said petition and then adjourned for further consideration and determination of the matter and now on the Twentieth day of September, 1927, to which time said petition has been successively continued, the board, having carefully considered the whole matter, do adjudge and determine that public convenience and necessity require that in accordance with said petition and between the termini named therein, Said highway be located and laid out and no person having at the time of said hearing and view objected to such relocation and layout, the board do now relocate, establish and lay out a county road between the termini named in said petition, the survey of which road is as follows: The layout is located on the Farmington River Road, so called and begins at the northerly end of the State highway as laid out March 9th, 1926 extending thence in a general northerly direction for about 3.4 miles to the southerly end of the state highway in New Boston Village) as laid out November 18th 1924, being more fully described as follows: The base line begins at a point follows shown on plan as Station 51/90.35 said point marking the northerly and base line of the aforesaid 1926 layout, and extends thence north  $90^{\circ} 40' 20''$  East for a distance of 45.2.97 feet: thence by a curve to the left of 1387.13 feet radius for a distance of 494.69 feet: Thence north  $10^{\circ} 45' 40''$  west for a distance of 143.07 feet; thence by a curve to the left of 521.16 feet radius for a distance of 292.10 feet; thence north  $42^{\circ} 52' 30''$  West for a distance of 646.52 feet; thence by a curve to the left of 968.18 feet radius for a distance of 394.40 feet; thence north  $66^{\circ} 20' 10''$  West for a distance of 122.03 feet; thence by a curve to the right of 641.54 feet radius for a distance of 198.40 feet; thence north  $48^{\circ} 37' 00''$  west for a distance of 393.80 feet; thence north  $51^{\circ} 29' 20''$  West for a distance of 634.43 feet; thence by a curve to the right of 270.34 feet radius for a distance of 344.38 feet; thence north  $21^{\circ} 30' 00''$  for a distance of 143.29 feet; thence by a curve to the right of 1908.11 feet for a distance of 199.82 feet; thence north  $27^{\circ} 30' 00''$  east for a distance of 1115.92 feet; thence by a curve to the left of 681.92 feet for a distance of 658.68 feet; thence north  $29^{\circ} 31' 00''$  West for a distance of 1424.07 feet; thence by a curve to the left of 2000:00 feet radius for a distance of 204.90 feet; thence north  $35^{\circ} 23' 10''$  West for a distance of 1236.40 feet; thence by a curve to the left of 1334.97 feet radius for a distance

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538 of 494.28 feet; thence north  $56^{\circ} 36' 00''$  West for a distance 1070.15 feet; thence by a curve to the right of 1144.31 feet radius for a distance of 396.00"; thence north  $36^{\circ} 46' 20''$  West for a distance of 354.01 feet; thence north  $31^{\circ} 59' 40''$  West for a distance of 283.59 feet; thence by a curve to the right of 1000.00 feet radius for a distance of 340.00 feet; thence north  $12.30^{\circ} 50''$  West for a distance of 741.43 feet; thence by a curve to the right of 1291.84 feet radius for a distance of 199.60 feet; thence north  $3^{\circ} 39' 40''$  West for a distance of 849.34 feet; thence by a curve to the left of 1863.10 feet; thence by a curve to the left 1932.60 feet radius for a distance of 497.24 feet; thence north  $26^{\circ} 47' 40''$  West for a distance of 355.06 feet; thence by a curve to the right of 1000.00 feet radius for a distance of 208.81 feet; thence north  $14^{\circ} 49' 50''$  West for a distance of 166.65 feet; thence by a curve to the right of 947.51 feet radius of a distance of 297.53 feet; thence  $3' 09' 40''$  east for a distance of 842.48 feet to a point shown on plan as Station 219/42.87: said station equalling station 211/8146 for a line ahead; thence north 1.50.10. east for a distance of 149'95 feet; thence south  $88^{\circ} 53' 30''$  west for a distance of 186.77 feet; thence by a curve to the right of 251.86 feet radius for a distance of 229.39 feet: thence by a curve to the right of 660.89 feet radius for a distance of 198.49 feet to a point of the end of layout, identical with the southerly end of the base line of the aforesaid 1924 layout, said point being shown on plan as station 200/13.76  
 539 length equals 17.920.22 feet, the westerly location line begins at a point marking the northerly end of the Westerly location line of the aforesaid 1926 layout, said point bearing north  $80' 19' 40''$  west and being 30.00 feet distant from the north point beginning of the above described base line shown on plan as station 51/90.35 and extends thence parallel to said base line and 30.00 feet distant therefrom to a point bearing south  $79.14.20''$  West 30.00 feet distant from station 61/38.01; thence by a curve to the left of 988.24 feet radius for a distance of 553.90 feet to a point bearing south  $47' 07' 30''$  west and 30.00 feet distant from station 67/1625 thence parallel to said base line and 30.00 feet distant therefrom to a point bearing south  $38.80.40''$  West and 30.00 feet distant from station 89/42.82; thence by a curve to the right of 330.00 feet radius for a distance of 420.39 feet to a point bearing north  $68.30.00''$  west and 30.00 feet distant from station 93/31.08; thence parallel to therefrom to a point bearing south  $38.24.00''$  west and 30.00 feet distant the base line as above described and 30.00 feet from station 157/77.01: thence to a curve to the right of 1680.00 feet radius for a distance of 564.08 feet to a point bearing south  $53.13.40''$  west and 30.00 feet distant from station 163/32.29; thence parallel to the base line as above described and 30.00 feet distant therefrom to a point bearing south  $67.16.49''$  West and 30.47 feet distant from station 171/8025 thence north  $12^{\circ} 48' 51''$  west for a distance of 594.93 feet to a point bearing south  $77^{\circ} 11' 09''$  west and 33.10 feet distance from station 177/69.94; thence by a curve to the right of 4030.00 feet radius for a distance of 215.83 feet to a point bearing south  $80^{\circ} 15' 15''$  west and 30.00 feet distance from station 179/84.09; thence parallel to the base line as above described and 30.00 feet distant there from to a point bearing south  $67^{\circ} 16' 49''$  west and 30.47 feet distance from station 171/80.25; thence north  $12^{\circ} 48' 51''$  west for a distance of 594.93 feet to a point bearing south  $77^{\circ} 11' 09''$  west and 3310 feet distance from station 177/69.94; thence by a curve to the right of 4030.00 feet radius for a distance of 215.83 feet to a point bearing south  $80^{\circ} 15' 15''$  west and 30.00 feet distance from station 179/84.09; thence parallel to the base line as above described and 30.00 feet distance there from to a point bearing south  $86' 20' 20''$  west for about 55 feet to a point in the middle of the Farmington River bearing south  $86^{\circ} 20' 20''$  west and about 85 feet distance from the said station 188; thence following the middle of said river northerly to a point bearing south  $66^{\circ} 49' 57''$  west and about 86 feet distance from station 199/50.00 of the base line; thence north  $66^{\circ} 49' 57''$  east for about 56 feet to a point bearing south  $66^{\circ} 49' 57''$  west and 30.00 feet distant from the said station 199/50.00  
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540 thence parallel to the base line, as above described and 30.00 feet distant there from to a point bearing north  $88^{\circ} 09' 50''$  west and 30.00 feet distant from station 219/42.87; thence north  $2^{\circ} 01' 12''$  east for a distance of 402.41 feet to a point bearing north  $88^{\circ} 09' 50''$  west and 28.70 feet distance from station 207/78.36; thence north  $5^{\circ} 58' 51''$  west for a distance of 48.10 feet to a point bearing south  $88^{\circ} 16' 55''$  west and 1721 feet distance from station 207/26.40; thence south  $88^{\circ} 16' 44''$  west for about 69 feet to a point again in the middle of the Farmington River, bearing south  $88^{\circ} 16' 55''$  west and about 86 feet distance from the said station 207/26.40; thence following the middle of said river northerly to a point bearing south  $1^{\circ} 06' 30''$  east and 25.00 feet distance from station 205/60; thence south  $88^{\circ} 53' 30''$  west for a distance of 123.67 feet to a point bearing south  $10^{\circ} 52' 43''$  west and 25.56 feet distance from station 204/41.64; thence by curve to the right of 279.06 feet radius for a distance of 249.16 feet to a point bearing south  $51^{\circ} 04' 30''$  west and 30.00 feet distant from station 202/12.25; thence by another curve to the right of 617.98 feet radius or a distance of 208.27 feet to a point at the end of the layout, marking the southerly end of the westerly location line of the aforesaid 1924 layout, bearing south  $69^{\circ} 21' 30''$  west and being 30.00 feet distant from the point of ending of the above described base line shown on plan as station 200/13.76; said bearing equalling that shown on the plan of said 1924 layout as south  $82^{\circ} 32' 00''$  west.

541 The easterly location line begins at a point marking the northerly end of the easterly location line of the aforesaid 1926 layout, said point being in the middle of the Farmington River, so-called, bearing south  $80^{\circ} 19' 40''$  east and being about 90 feet distant from the point of beginning of the above described base line shown on the plan as station 51/90.35; and extends thence following said middle of river northerly to a point bearing north  $79^{\circ} 14' 20''$  east and about 82 feet distant from station 61/38.01 of the above described base line; thence south  $79^{\circ} 14' 20''$  east and 30.00 feet distant from the said station 61/38.01; thence by a curve to the left of 1048.24 feet radius for a distance of 587.53 feet to a point bearing north  $47^{\circ} 07' 30''$  east and 30.00 feet distant from station 67/16.25; thence parallel to the base line as above described and 30.00 feet distant therefrom to a point bearing north  $36^{\circ} 23' 59''$  east and 30.00 feet distant from station 74; thence north  $36^{\circ} 23' 59''$  east about 86 feet to a point again in the middle of the Farmington River, bearing north  $36^{\circ} 23' 59''$  east and about 116 feet distant from said station 74; thence following the middle of said river in a general northerly direction to a point bearing south  $68^{\circ} 30' 00''$  east and about 109 feet from station 94/52.43 of said base line; thence north  $68^{\circ} 30' 00''$  west about 79 feet to a point bearing south  $68^{\circ} 30' 00''$  east and 30.00 feet distant from the said station 94/52.43;

542 thence parallel to the base line as above described and 30.00 feet distant therefrom to a point bearing north  $33^{\circ} 24' 00''$  east and 30.00 feet distant from station 157/77.01; thence by a curve to the right of 1570.00 feet radius for a distance of 543.31 feet to a point bearing north  $52^{\circ} 13' 40''$  east and 30.00 feet distant from station 163/32.29; thence parallel to the base line as above described and 30.00 feet distant therefrom to a point bearing north  $87^{\circ} 06' 01''$  east and 30.44 feet distant from station 171/80.25; thence north  $12^{\circ} 48' 51''$  west for a distance of 594.93 feet to a point bearing north  $77^{\circ} 11' 09''$  east and 26.90 feet distant from station 177/69.94; thence by a curve to the right of 3970.00 feet radius for a distance of 212.62 feet to a point bearing north  $80^{\circ} 15' 15''$  east and 30.00 feet distant from station 179/84.09; thence parallel to the base line as above described and 30.00 feet distant therefrom to a point bearing south  $88^{\circ} 09' 50''$  east and 30.00 feet distant from station 219/42.87; thence north  $1^{\circ} 19' 31''$  east for a distance of 407.10 feet to a point bearing north  $84^{\circ} 42' 10''$  east and 26.57 feet distant from station 207/78.36; thence north  $5^{\circ} 58' 51''$  west for a distance of 62.03 feet to a point bearing north  $67^{\circ} 50' 19''$  east and 39.40 feet distant from station 207/26.40; thence by a curve to the left of 114.03 feet radius for a distance





542 169.42 feet to a point bearing north 1° 06' 30" west and 25.00 feet distant from station 205/8087; thence south 88° 53' 30" west for a distance of 124.25 feet to a point bearing north 29° 50' 31" east and 29.15 feet distance from station 204/41.64; thence by a curve to the right of 244.64 feet radius for a distance of 217.96 feet to a point bearing north 51° 04' 30" east and 30.01 feet distant from station 202/12.25; thence by another curve to the right of 557.98 feet radius for a distance of 189.12 feet to a point at the end of the layout marking the southerly end of the easterly location line of the aforesaid 1924 layout, bearing south 69° 21' 30" west and being 3000 feet distant from the point of ending of the above described base line shown on plan as station 200/13.76; said bearing equalling that shown on the plan of said 1924 layout as north 82° 32' 00" east.

All as shown on plan on file in the office of said Clerk of Courts marked "Plan of Colebrook Road in Sandisfield, Layout of 1927"; a portion of said layout and relocation are on lands belonging to - Josephine Dubois, Douglass K Brown, Harrison K Slaker and Frederick I Anderson, Harrison K Alaker, Frederick I and Emma L Anderson, Edward Fargo Estate (Homer T and Mary Fargo), Dominick and Caterina Campetti, Clarence E Deming, Henrietta Clark, Edson P Twining, Jason Sears, Town of Sandisfield, Helen Bliss, - Louis Reutter, Luther Strickland and Stein and Cohn, and an easement or a right of way in, over and upon the same, for all the usual purposes of a road or highway or for any other use in connection with such purposes, is hereby taken, said parcels of land being described as follows: -

Parcel No. 1 Josephine Dubois

544 A parcel of land on the westerly side of the Colebrook Road in Sandisfield as shown on said "Plan of Colebrook Road in Sandisfield, layout of 1927" filed in the office of the said Clerk of Courts, and extending from station 51/.90.35 to station 71/91/ and containing an area of sixteen thousand ninety five (16,095 sq feet

Parcel No. 2 Josephine Dubois

Parcel of land on the easterly side of the Colebrook Road in Sandisfield as shown on said "Plan of Colebrook Road in Sandisfield, layout of 1927" filed in the office of the said Clerk of Courts, and extending from station 51/90.35 to station 62/84 and containing an area of twenty eight thousand two hundred forty (28,240 square feet.

Parcel No. 3 Josephine Dubois

A parcel of land on the northeast side of the Colebrook Road in Sandisfield as shown on said "Plan of Colebrook Road in Sandisfield, layout of 1927" filed in the office of the said Clerk of Courts, and extending from station 65/55/ to station 91/95/ and containing an area of thirty one thousand one hundred fifty (31,150 square feet

Parcel No. 4 Josephine Dubois

A parcel of land on the southwest side of the Colebrook Road in Sandisfield as shown on said "Plan of Colebrook Road in Sandisfield, layout of 1927" file in the office of the said Clerk of Courts, and extending from station 73/14/ to station 91/94 and containing an area of twenty-five thousand eight hundred ninety (25,890) square feet

Parcel No. 5 Douglass K Brown

A parcel of land on the northwest side of the Colebrook Road in Sandisfield as shown on said "Plan of Colebrook Road in Sandisfield, layout of 1927" filed in the office of the said Clerk of Courts, and extending from station 91/94 to station 110/44 and contain an area of nineteen

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546 Town of Sandisfield Mass December 21 1935 The hearing for Alcoholic Beverages was held this day and no complaints or objections were brought forward. Mrs. Ethel Perkins at Hotel New Boston Mass Granted a license to sell Beer & Wine for 1936 Jan 1; Marris Immerman of New Boston Mass Granted a Beer & Wine License for 1936 Jan 1; Clifford Palmer of Montville Mass Granted a license to sell all alcoholic beverages for 1936 - Jan 1; Louise Orso of West New Boston Mass Granted a license to sell all



546    alcoholic beverages for 1936 - Jan 1

Henry F Dodd    ) Selectmen of  
Frank E Hawley ) Sandisfield Mass  
Jason Sears     ) Dec 21 - 1935

Sandisfield, Mass. March 12th 1923

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